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ABSTRACT

This KIDS COUNT data book examines statewide trends in the well-being of Virginia's children. The statistical portrait is based on six general areas of children's well-being: (1) healthy births; (2) children's health; (3) school success; (4) risky behavior; (5) families; and (6) community well-being. Key indicators in these six areas include the following: (1) prenatal care in the first trimester; (2) low birth weight; (3) infant mortality rate; (4) middle school physical fitness test winners; (5) child abuse and neglect; (6) child death rate; (7) grade 4 standardized test winners; (8) grade 6 literacy test winners; (9) high school dropout rate; (10) teenage sexually transmitted disease rate; (11) juvenile birth rate (12) alcohol or drug possession in school; (13) weapon possession in school; (14) juvenile violent crime arrests; (15) delinquency; (16) motor vehicle death rate; (17) teen violent death rate; (18) foster care out-of-home placements; (19) divorce rate; (20) births out of wedlock rate; (21) unemployment rate; (22) average income; (23) fiscal stress level; (24) students in school lunch program; (25) students in families receiving TANF; (26) average daily school membership; (27) instructional personnel rate; (28) child day care capacity; and (29) population per physician. Following a brief overview and discussion of the indicators, the first section provides information on the Commonwealth as a whole. The second section, and bulk of the report, provides profiles for the 135 different counties studied. Comparative data for 1991 through 1997 are included as well as current rank in relation to the other localities. The report's three appendices provide a look at prevention, suggested reading, and some comparisons of indicators between Virginia and the nation as a whole. (SD)

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If Virginia is going to continue moving forward and prosper in the 21st Century, our schools must be sound and our neighborhoods safe. We must recognize that our children are the key to a successful Virginia. They must be provided with our time, energy, love, and devotion. As Virginians, we must all work together to ensure today's children are prepared for tomorrow's challenges.

— JAMES S. GILMORE, III
GOVERNOR OF VIRGINIA, 1998-2002

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OVERVIEW

WHAT IS KIDS COUNT?

Now in its third year, **KIDS COUNT in Virginia** monitors changing trends that affect the well-being of children in the Commonwealth. By using select indicators related to healthy births, children's health, school success, risky behavior, families, and community well-being, this data book provides Virginians with measurable information about the realities of the lives of children and youth in their communities. Reliable and objective, the data presented through **KIDS COUNT in Virginia** are gathered from primary official public sources.

In addition to this data book, **KIDS COUNT in Virginia** also maintains a website on the Internet, which provides access to raw data used to calculate the numbers reported in this data book. During 1998, **KIDS COUNT in Virginia** will develop a number of projects that promote children's well-being, including a series of reports that will use KIDS COUNT data in the analysis of critical issues.

KIDS COUNT in Virginia is funded, in part, by the Annie E. Casey Foundation, the largest foundation in the United States devoted exclusively to improving the lives of disadvantaged children. A major goal of the Foundation's KIDS COUNT efforts is to encourage a nationwide commitment to improving outcomes for at-risk children and their families. Since 1989, the Foundation has published a national KIDS COUNT data book on the status of American children. The network of KIDS COUNT programs extends to all 50 states and the District of Columbia.

To receive a copy of the national KIDS COUNT data book, contact:
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Thank you for helping us show that Virginia's kids count!

WHAT IS THE APPLIED SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY RESEARCH INSTITUTE?

The Applied Social Psychology Research Institute (ASPRI), located in the Department of Psychology at the College of William & Mary, administers contracts and research grants in the human and social services and sciences. ASPRI can provide clients a variety of services.

John Nezlek and Joseph Galano, the ASPRI associates who helped prepare this *KIDS COUNT in Virginia* data book, are both professors in the Department of Psychology of the College of William & Mary; they both have considerable experience evaluating human service programs and are committed to the College of William & Mary's mission to extend its impact beyond the perimenters of the campus, by working toward improving the human condition. Nezlek is the director of ASPRI. Galano, a national expert on illness prevention and health promotion and a member of the National Prevention Coalition, received the American Psychological Association's 1996 award for Distinguished Contribution to Practice in Community Psychology. He was honored for being able to produce applied, real-world achievements aimed at promoting health, preventing problems, and fostering human potential.

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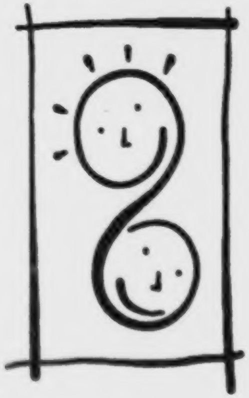
WHAT IS THE ACTION ALLIANCE FOR VIRGINIA'S CHILDREN AND YOUTH?

The Action Alliance for Virginia's Children and Youth is the home and primary support of **KIDS COUNT in Virginia**. A nonprofit, non-partisan, multi-issue organization advocating for children, the Action Alliance serves all of Virginia by promoting the importance of children growing up to be healthy, happy, and productive adults.



The **KIDS COUNT in Virginia** project is central to the work of the Action Alliance. Good policies for children and wise decisions to implement these policies must be based on accurate, objective information, rather than on biased data or non-typical anecdotes. Providing, interpreting, and disseminating that information is the function of **KIDS COUNTY in Virginia.**

The mission of the Action Alliance is to bring children's issues to the forefront and to work together with parents, educators, service providers, the business community, and government leaders to improve the well-being of children and youth in Virginia. The Action Alliance accomplishes its mission in different ways:

- bringing together grass roots organizations and individuals into a coordinated network working on behalf of children and youth;
- collecting, publishing, and disseminating objective data on children's well-being, especially through the KIDS COUNT project;
- providing public education through written materials, conferences, and other vehicles; and
- influencing what government currently does in relation to children — and advocating what government should, and should not, do in order to enhance the well-being of children.

The Action Alliance currently focuses on three priority topics: the support of parents/families; early childhood development/education and child care; and the prevention of violence.

Supported by private funding, the Action Alliance is a membership organization governed by a board of directors from throughout Virginia. For more information, contact:

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FROM THE ACTION ALLIANCE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

PLEASE do **not** put this *KIDS COUNT in Virginia* data book on your bookshelf.

At least, don't put it there and leave it there.

The *KIDS COUNT in Virginia* 1997 data book is made to be used, to help you understand how children and youth are faring in your locality and region, to measure improvements, and to identify areas most in need of attention. Too often, discussions about children are based on emotions and opinions. Too often, anecdotes carry the day, sometimes distorting what is really going on with the majority of children in Virginia. While each individual child is important, community leaders must focus on the well-being of **all** the children. KIDS COUNT provides accurate, dependable data from which you can draw a picture of the condition of all the children in your community.

While decisions based on unconnected anecdotes are often short-sighted, I urge you to identify the faces behind the data for your community. Who are the mothers who do not receive proper prenatal care, whose babies are born too little, too early, or too sick to survive and thrive? Why are 5% or 10% of the babies in your community born with such severe strikes against them? Who are the teenagers in your community who drop out of high school? Have they shown up before in the numbers of children who score low on standardized tests or who bring weapons or alcohol to school? When is the most effective time to intervene to prevent school dropouts? Is your community making progress or losing ground on some of those precursors of leaving school?

Make *KIDS COUNT in Virginia* a regular part of the dialogue in your community — at Board of Supervisors or City Council meetings, at Chamber of Commerce meetings, at the Rotary Club or League of Women Voters gatherings, at school board and PTA meetings, where people of faith gather. The Action Alliance staff is available to come to your community to work with you in interpreting and using KIDS COUNT.

This book is a tool. Use it well and often in service to children.

SUZANNE CLARK JOHNSON, PH.D.
Executive Director

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WHAT THESE NUMBERS MEAN

The information presented in this data book covers multiple years so that trends can be seen regarding the different indicators and their effects on the lives of Virginia's young people. This should allow users of this book to focus clearly on some crucial issues for children and the Commonwealth.

Although at first glance, the indicators in this data book may seem unconnected, they are oftentimes related in determining a child's well-being or as predictors for future success. These measures are collected regularly by communities and state agencies; they were chosen through careful examination of the available data and with input from Virginia's policy-making community, foundations, academic researchers, and the state and local children's service providers.

While the indicators included do not cover all of the conditions that shape the lives of children, the measures included were chosen because they are:

- **relevant and easily understandable** by broad audiences, including those who plan, manage, deliver, use, and pay for children's services;
- **scientifically based** on substantial research that connects them to child well-being;
- **holistic or comprehensive** so that no single area of children's lives dominates the report or is over-represented;
- **useful** — the Commonwealth, localities, and the private sector should be able to use the data to target efforts across Virginia and locally;
- **measured regularly** so that they can be updated and show trends over time; and
- **representative** of large segments of the population, rather than one particular group.

These statistical indicators have been divided among six categories that illustrate the status of children in Virginia and in 135 different localities in the Commonwealth. These categories are broad enough to present an overall profile of the quality of life for Virginia's children, while the indicators within each are specific enough to depict the realities of children's lives within the Commonwealth.

HEALTHY BIRTHS: This cluster presents information on early prenatal care, low birth-weight babies, and infant mortality rates. Most Virginia children are born healthy and thrive. Yet, all children, regardless of family income, race/ethnicity, or area of residence, require periodic medical attention to ensure healthy development. In addition, we know that healthy mothers are more likely to give birth to healthy babies so we need to make certain that pregnant women receive the services they need. Quality health care that begins before a child is born saves lives and money and reduces health problems down the road.

Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester.
Early prenatal care is defined as seeing a physician during the first three months of pregnancy. Based on a calendar year, these percentages are calculated as: **the number of pregnant females receiving early care/total number of live births**. (Terminations are excluded.) Locality refers to the mother's reported residence. Residences were unknown for six cases of prenatal care in 1992 and for one case in 1994.

Lack of or delayed prenatal care can increase risks to both fetus and mother. Early and adequate prenatal care often results in earlier education for proper nutrition, exercise, and avoidance of alcohol and drugs; it also may allow earlier detection of and intervention for pregnancy-related problems and prevention of complications during pregnancy. Lack of prenatal care has been shown to be related to low birth weight, infant mortality, and poorer developmental outcomes. Such care can be particularly important for females at high risk (low income, young, or minority), who typically experience the highest levels of inadequate prenatal care. Poverty, the lack of health insurance, minimal support (by employers or others), or a combination of these factors, reduces the likelihood that expectant mothers will seek and obtain prenatal care. The goal behind this benchmark is to increase early prenatal care, thereby minimizing the risk of morbidity and mortality while reducing the financial costs associated with unhealthy infants.

Low birth-weight babies.

A baby has a low birth weight if it is under 2,500 grams (5 pounds, 8 ounces) regardless of the period of gestation. Low birth-weight infants are a diverse group; some are born prematurely, some are full-term but small for gestational age, and some are both premature and small for gestational age. These data are based on a calendar year. The percentage is calculated as: **the number of low weight births/total number of live births**.

Research has shown that women without early and adequate prenatal care are more likely to give birth to a baby with low weight, which is associated with infant death, respiratory problems, sensory impairment, and developmental and learning disabilities. Underweight babies accounted for nearly two-thirds of all infant deaths in 1995. Low birth-weight infants who survive are about three times more likely than other babies to experience mental retardation, sight and hearing deficiencies, growth and developmental problems, chronic lung and respiratory problems, and learning difficulties. Poverty also heightens the risk for low birth weight. Hospital bills for rescuing low birth-weight babies can reach $1,000,000; currently, most babies born at 24 or more weeks survive. Low birth-weight infants are three to four times more likely to die from Sudden Infant Death Syndrome (SIDS) than full-term, normal birth-weight babies.

Infant mortality rate.

Based on a calendar year, this indicator includes deaths of all children under one year of age. The rate is calculated as: **the number of deaths in the first year of life/total number of live births**.

The first year of life is often the most precarious, so negative social conditions can have a significant impact on this vulnerable age group. Children born to poor families or into distressed neighborhoods remain at greater risk of infant death. The infant mortality rate reflects the health of pregnant women and infants, the conditions in which they live, and the parenting that infants receive. It is often regarded as an indicator of a community's overall well-being because it is associated with a variety of factors, such as maternal health, quality and access to medical care, nutrition, socio-economic conditions, and public health practices. Overall, infant mortality rates dropped from 1960-1994 (and, in fact, fell to an all-time low — 7.2 infant deaths per thousand nationally in 1996, which is 5% lower than in 1995). However, the rates among whites have dropped more dramatically than among blacks; if current trends continue, the difference between the two groups is expected to be threefold by the year 2000. Even black babies born at normal birth weights have infant mortality rates from infections roughly three times higher than white babies, and black babies have twice the deaths from SIDS.

CHILDREN'S HEALTH

Presenting information on physical fitness, child abuse and neglect, and child death, this category provides a snapshot of the health of Virginia's children. The earliest years of a child's life are critical for laying the foundation for later development. Adolescence is a time of rapid physical and emotional change. The protection and nurturing of children is the responsibility of families, communities, and the government.

Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests.

Attitudes and behaviors that are developed in adolescence may have health consequences that continue through adulthood. Children need to receive proper nutrition and exercise to grow into healthy adults. This indicator can help determine whether young people are developing healthy behaviors and a lifelong commitment to illness prevention and health promotion. Recent reports suggest that physical education programs in early childhood not only promote health and well-being, but also contribute to academic achievement. The intent of this benchmark is to encourage the implementation of high quality physical education programs that will enhance the fitness of children and youth and encourage lifelong physical activity.

Founded cases of child abuse or neglect.

A local department of social services determines whether or not a reported abuse/neglect case is founded (or substantiated) after investigating a complaint; a review of the facts must show clear and convincing evidence that child abuse or neglect occurred. The incidence of child abuse and neglect is very difficult to measure. While this benchmark provides a useful standard on which communities can be compared over time, it has many limitations that frequently serve to underestimate drastically the true incidence of abuse and neglect. For this book, the rates for 1994 and following years have been computed using 1994 population estimates because more recent age-appropriate data were not available at the time of publication. Based on a fiscal year, the rate is calculated as: **(the number of affected children/population, ages 0-17)*1,000**.

If there are multiple investigations within a reporting period, these will include multiple counts of children — that is to say, this may not be an unduplicated count of children.

Research on the effects of child abuse and neglect document both immediate and long-term harm to children. Children of every race and class suffer from abuse and neglect, and research has found no causal relationship between race and the incidence of child maltreatment. In extreme cases, the consequence of abuse and neglect is death; in many other cases, the outcome is serious injury, permanent disability, and a wide range of social, psychological, and cognitive problems. Child abuse and neglect can increase the incidence of physical and mental health problems in children and families, such as mental and behavioral disorders, delayed development, permanent disability, poor academic performance, poor impulse control, delinquency, depression, alcoholism, substance abuse, deviant sexual behavior, suicide, teen pregnancy, and domestic and criminal violence. Victims of child abuse or neglect exhibit lower levels of achievement and are more likely to be arrested as adults than individuals without a background of abuse or neglect. Increasingly, Virginia's communities are developing prevention programs to address this important social concern. This is especially important because the largest group of victims in Virginia are children under the age of five. Scientists now know that brain development in children is more sensitive to environmental influences than previously thought, and that early childhood experiences can affect later health, learning, and emotional development.

Also, the cost of Child Protective Services and out-of-home placements, as well as the long-term repercussions of child abuse and neglect, contribute to enormous economic consequences.

Child death rate.

Based on a calendar year, this category includes deaths of children (ages 1-14 years) resulting from all causes. The rate is calculated as: **(the number of deaths/population, ages 1–14)*100,000**. For this book, the rates for 1994 and following years have been computed using 1994 population estimates because more recent age-appropriate data were not available at the time of publication.

Far too many children are at high risk for untimely deaths. Nearly one-half of all childhood deaths are preventable. Advances in the prevention and treatment of childhood illnesses during the past two decades mean that a large number of deaths in young children are not related to illness, but rather to "preventable events." The majority of child deaths are due to injuries, accidents, and acts of violence. Motor vehicle crashes are the most frequent cause of death to children in this age group (accounting for half of all unintentional injuries). Drowning and fires account for most other injury-related deaths among children. Improved safety measures like pool and spa covers, increasing use of car child safety seats and seat belts, smoke detectors, child-resistant packaging for prescription drugs and other hazardous materials, plus increased public awareness, have helped to save many lives.The child death rate reflects the health of children, the level of adult supervision they receive, and the dangers to which children are exposed in their homes and communities.

SCHOOL SUCCESS

Covering school-based factors, this group of indicators reflects the educational achievements of young people in a community. The vast majority of Virginia children — whether they have a nurturing and developmentally appropriate early childhood experience or not — will enter our public schools. Children who have a quality early childhood experience are much more likely to be successful in school. A good education is a child's surest path to personal growth, responsible citizenship, and economic well-being. This is particularly true for children from disadvantaged backgrounds. Global competition and the growing demand of the workplace make the benefits of education a necessity for each child and the key to our future.

4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile.

This statistic represents the percent of fourth-grade students who took the Virginia State Assessment Program (VSAP) standardized tests under standard conditions whose composite scores were above the national 25th percentile. (NOTE: The national average is 75% of students scoring above the 25th percentile.) VSAP standardized tests are multiple choice in format and assess students in the basic academic skill areas. These data are based on a fiscal year.

Failing academically in early elementary school, being retained a grade, and being in the bottom quartile in basic reading and math skills are important predictors of later school failure. Being retained even one year reduces the likelihood that children will complete high school. Fourth-grade children reading in the lowest one-fifth of their grade level are at much greater risk for teen pregnancy and school dropout than those in the highest 20%. This indicator can serve as an early warning signal that our children are not learning and that families, communities, and schools must respond.

6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests.

The Literacy Passport Tests assess how well students have mastered sixth-grade level skills in mathematics, reading, and writing. These data are based on a fiscal year.

The results of criterion-referenced tests, such as the Literacy Passport Test in sixth grade, show how well children are learning, based on sixth-grade standards. The educational system is required to teach children the skills needed to succeed in life, sustain employment, and exercise civic responsibility; these skills are all impossible to attain without basic literacy in words and numbers. Many factors, including parental support, parent's level of education, class size, teacher skills, school climate, and home-school connections, are linked to this benchmark. This is an important predictor of high school graduation and the ability to perform well in middle and high school.

9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school.

These data are based on a fiscal year and indicate the number of students in grades 9-12 who leave school and do not graduate.

Graduating from high school is an important indicator of a community's success in educating its children. It also is an important predictor of adult success. On average, children who drop out of school will earn about one-third less income than high school graduates and less than one-half of what college graduates earn. Many factors contribute to dropping out of school, such as poverty, alcohol or substance abuse, and teen pregnancy. Teens who drop out of school encounter enormous odds: they face an increased likelihood of criminal behavior, dependence on social services, increased unemployment, loss of important school-based adult role models, and poorer health.

RISKY BEHAVIOR

This category focuses on Virginia's rates of sexually transmitted diseases among youth; births to young girls; students having alcohol, drugs, or weapons in school; juvenile arrests and intake cases; and deaths among youths. The willingness to engage in risky behaviors during youth reflects learned attitudes from family or society, a feeling of self-invincibility, and the inability to recognize the cause-and-effect results of many actions.

Sexually transmitted diseases.

Based on a calendar year, these rates are calculated as: **(the number of reported cases/population, ages 12-17)*1,000**. To maintain confidentiality, localities do not report if there are fewer than three reported cases of sexually transmitted diseases among their youth. For this book, the rates for 1994 and following years have been computed using 1994 population estimates because more recent age-appropriate data were not available at the time of publication.

The presence of sexually transmitted diseases indicates risky (and unprotected) sexual behavior. About one-fifth of all young people, by the time they reach 21, have needed treatment for a sexually transmitted disease. In addition to life-threatening Acquired Immune Deficiency Syndrome (AIDS), the most serious complications of sexually transmitted disease are pelvic inflammatory disease, sterility, ectopic pregnancy, blindness, cancer associated with human papilloma virus, fetal and infant death, birth defects, and mental retardation. Gonorrhea is the most frequently reported communicable disease in the United States; at particular risk are youth, low-income, and minority populations.

Births to girls, ages 15-17.

These data are based on a calendar year and are calculated as: **(all live births to females, age 17 or younger/total population of females, ages 15-17)*1,000**. For this book, the rates for 1994 and following years have been computed using 1994 population estimates because more recent age-appropriate data were not available at the time of publication. In 1991, there was one birth to a teenager in which the residence was unknown. Because the majority of births are to older girls, the population figures used in computing this rank are for girls ages 15-17. This rank will overestimate slightly the actual rate, as some births are to girls below the age of 15.

(In Virginia, the number of births to girls ages 12-14 is rising; in 1996, there were 232 such births.)

Research indicates that for a young woman, bearing a child during adolescence is associated with long-term difficulties for herself, her child, and society. National data suggests that having a baby as a teenager creates a dangerous precedent as one in five teenage mothers will become pregnant again within one year of giving birth. The teen birth rate is an indicator of the well-being of both babies and mothers. Compared to babies born to older mothers, babies born to adolescent mothers are more likely to suffer health, economic, social, and educational problems during childhood, ranging from prematurity and low birth weight to poverty and the increased chance of becoming teen parents themselves. Teen mothers experience poorer health and nutrition, more unemployment, and poverty at higher rates than women who delay motherhood. They are more likely to grow up in homes that offer low levels of emotional support and cognitive stimulation, and are less likely to earn a high school diploma. Lifetime earnings for teen mothers are less than half of those for women who bear their first child after age 19. Teen mothers and their children are more likely to drop out of school, to give birth out of wedlock, to divorce or separate, and to be dependent on welfare. Factors that contribute to teen childbearing include community acceptance of teen childbearing, hopelessness, poor school performance, sexual abuse, having been born to a teenage mother, and poverty, which exerts more influence than any other factor on teen birth rates.

Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school.
Calculated as: **(the number of incidents/average daily school membership)*1,000**, these data are based on a fiscal year. They include the number of times students were found to have alcohol, mind-altering drugs, illicit drugs, illegal possession or use of prescription drugs, synthetic drugs, or anabolic steroids on their person or located within the scope of the person's control, on school property (for example, locker, handbag, gym bag, or car on school grounds).

Alcohol and drug use by adolescents is associated with motor vehicle accidents, injuries and deaths, problems in school and in the work place, fighting and crime, and health problems. Habitual drug and alcohol use by youth also can lead to serious consequences, including homicide and suicide. Use of drugs can have immediate as well as long-term health, social, and legal consequences. Additionally, children using drugs and alcohol are more likely to indulge in other risk-taking activities, especially unprotected sexual activity, resulting in teen pregnancies and sexually transmitted diseases. This indicator may reflect the availability of alcohol and/or drugs to minors and community norms that do not strongly discourage use.

It should be noted that the reporting process for this indicator has changed since it began in 1991. Although school divisions have attempted to collect data in a format consistent with the state collection process, there may be reporting discrepancies in the data provided in this book. Because reported high incidences of violence or substance abuse may indicate a more comprehensive reporting system (or some other causal factor within a given school division), the reader is cautioned to refrain from assuming that higher numbers indicate worsening conditions.

Incidents of students possessing weapons in school.
This benchmark indicates the number of instances when students were found to have weapons (such as guns or knives) on their person or located within the scope of the person's control, on school property. These data are based on a fiscal year and are calculated as: **(the number of incidents/average daily school membership)*1,000**.

Youth possessing weapons represents a serious failure by parents, schools, and communities to teach non-violent attitudes, restrict the availability of weapons, and promote a feeling of personal safety. An increase in guns and other weapons may reflect criminal behavior, drug traffic, gangs, lack of parental supervision, and social or community norms that favor violence.

It should be noted that the reporting process for this indicator has changed since it began in 1991. Although school divisions have attempted to collect data in a format consistent with the state collection process, there may be reporting discrepancies in the data provided in this report. Because reported high incidences of violence or substance abuse may indicate a more comprehensive reporting system (or some other causal factor within a given school division), the reader is cautioned to refrain from assuming that higher numbers indicate worsening conditions.

Juveniles arrested for violent crime.
This item includes the total number of arrests of juveniles (less than 18 years old) for murder, forcible rape, robbery, and aggravated assault. These figures represent the total number of arrests only; they cannot be compared with offense figures because several persons could be arrested for the same offense, or the arrest of one person may solve several offenses. Law enforcement arrest policies vary, particularly with respect to juveniles, but law enforcement agencies have been instructed to count one arrest each time juveniles are taken into custody for committing an offense. Juveniles are counted when arrested for an offense when the circumstances are such that if the offender were an adult, an arrest would be made. These data are based on a calendar year and are collected monthly from contributing law enforcement agencies. For this book, the rates for 1994 and following years have been computed using 1994 population estimates because more recent age-appropriate data were not available at the time of publication. The rate is calculated as: **(the number of arrests/population, ages 12-17)*100,000**.

This indicator is a good measure of juveniles at high risk for continued serious delinquency and criminal behavior. Juvenile violent crime is related to the use of alcohol, drugs, and weapons by young people. The arrest rate varies as a function of criminal activity in the community. It also may reflect different levels of community tolerance and police activity. There are a host of risk factors that can be addressed to reduce juvenile crime: school problems, anti-social peer group and neighborhood influences, family dysfunction, and individual characteristics, such as lack of self-regulatory abilities and substance abuse problems. Violence not only affects the quality of life of the perpetrator, but also those young people who experience, witness, or feel threatened by it. Far more youth are victims rather than perpetrators of crime, and young people are three to four times more likely than adults to be victims of violent crime.

It should be noted that arrests of juveniles on college or university campuses, federal property, or other locations not classified as a city or county are not included. These data are for *arrests*; the number of actual *convictions* may be substantially lower. Arrest data include juveniles of all ages. Population data are for juveniles ages 12-17; therefore, the rate(s) may be slightly over-estimated.

Intake cases involving delinquency.
This category includes the total number of cases referred to intake (meant to divert youth from formal court actions) in a Court Service Unit for an alleged delinquency complaint. These cases may then be deemed unfounded, diverted, or petitioned to court by the Court Service Intake Staff. These data are based on a fiscal year and are calculated as: **(the number of cases/population, ages 12-17)*100,000**. For this book, the rates for 1994 and following years have been computed using 1994 population estimates because more recent age-appropriate data were not available at the time of publication.

Indicating both social behavior and social control in the community, this benchmark represents cases of young people involved in criminal activity. Cases may include traffic, miscellaneous crime, and status offenses (such as school truancy, curfew violations, and running away from home) in addition to the deliquency charges. Cases comprised solely of status offense complaints, however, are not included in this indicator. A core group of youth who chronically offend (and who represent a small proportion of all offenders) comprise the majority of Virginia's problem and account for many of these intake cases. Communities must identify problems early and intervene. Juveniles at high risk for criminal behavior can be identified using objective criteria, such as school performance, self-regulatory and problem-solving skills, child abuse and/or domestic violence history; involvement with alcohol, drugs, or firearms; relatives with criminal histories; and poor family functioning. The crucial point to be made is that a small group of identifiable youth will be responsible for an incredibly disproportionate share of future criminal and violent offenses. Changing these life paths will require committed communities who intervene prospectively using prevention programs that have a proven track record.

For this book, intake data include juveniles of all ages; population data are for juveniles 12-17. Therefore, the rate(s) may be slightly over-estimated. It should be noted that numbers of intake cases reported here are the best estimates, given the available data. Some localities do not provide a report for every month of the year — sometimes because there are no cases, sometimes for other reasons. The impact of this practice on the accuracy of these estimates cannot be determined.

Motor vehicle deaths.

Fatalities resulting from motor vehicle traffic accidents, vehicle non-traffic accidents involving collisions with moving or stationary objects, and vehicle non-traffic accidents while boarding and alighting are included in this statistic. These data are based on a calendar year. Because many localities have no motor vehicle deaths in a particular year, these data are not adjusted.

This indicator reflects one of the largest and most significant contributors to premature death and preventable accidents for children and adolescents. It may reflect a lack of parental supervision, a general tendency for youth to engage in risky behavior(s), and adolescent norms that do not discourage drinking alcohol and driving. Nationally, motor vehicle crash deaths among adolescents and young adults decreased in the early 1980s, possibly because of the raised minimum drinking age in many states and decreasing alcohol use. The recent trend, however, is upward. The raised speed limit may be a factor in this trend.

Teen violent death rate.

Included in this benchmark are deaths occurring through homicide, suicide, accident, or legal intervention. (Motor vehicle deaths are included.) For this book, the rates for 1994 and following years have been computed using 1994 population estimates because more recent age-appropriate data were not available at the time of publication. The rate is calculated as: **(the number of violent deaths/population ages 15-17)*100,000**. These data are based on the calendar year.

Deaths from unintentional injuries, homicide, and suicide accounted for more than 75% of all teen deaths in 1994. Teen homicides doubled between 1984 and 1994; nationally, most youth who die are black males. Every youth death by homicide impacts families, friends, and witnesses. For every death resulting from an unintentional injury, there are at least five non-fatal (but serious) injuries.

Factors that contribute to this benchmark include feelings of immortality, anger, desire to rebel, poor communication and nurturance in families, alcohol and substance abuse, access to handguns, poor education, few educational opportunities, as well as social disintegration in some neighborhoods.

It is important to note that unintentional injuries account for far more teen deaths in the United States than any other source, including violence. High violent death rates indicate the need for action and support from families and communities to minimize these risks. In addition to minimizing risk, communities also may develop programs to enhance protective factors that reduce the risk for homicide, suicide, and preventable accidents.

FAMILIES

In increasing numbers, families are vulnerable to social and economic factors that are eroding even basic family supports. Drugs, violence, and financial hardship are taking a toll on children and their parents throughout Virginia. Traditionally, parents have relied on extended families, the community, and social institutions for various kinds of assistance. However, increasingly, families are finding themselves isolated from kin and neighbors. Stress on the family heightens the risk of child abuse and neglect, family disintegration, and children living with unmet special needs.

Foster care out-of-home placements.

Prevention services (that deter the need for foster care placement without removing the child from the home) are not included in these data, which are based on a fiscal year.

It is agreed that children need stable, loving, and permanent homes. Unfortunately, a large number of Virginia's children — and especially its youngest children — are spending a portion of their childhoods in temporary foster care or institutional placements. Children removed from their homes and placed in foster care often reflect stressful living conditions, family instability, poverty, crime, violence, homelessness, substance abuse, and serious illness. Out-of-home placement often is a major life disruption that requires massive adjustments (new home, new school, new friends, etc.) and can be followed by depression, disruptive behavior, and school adjustment problems. As most children placed in foster care ultimately return home, an emphasis on strengthening families or on prevention programs that use a proactive approach to identify at-risk families and offer intensive home-based support to promote positive parent-child interaction is needed.

Children whose parents divorced.

This indicator presents the number of children involved in divorces and annulments on the grounds of separation for more than one year or desertion. (Separations pending final divorce are excluded.) Locality is the reported place of divorce. For this book, the rates for 1994 and following years have been computed using 1994 population estimates because more recent age-appropriate data were not available at the time of publication. These data are based on the calendar year. The percentage is calculated as: **(the number of affected children/population, ages 0-17)*100**.

Parental conflict and ongoing hostility are the strongest influences on children's poor adjustment. Children of divorce can develop poor self concepts, have behavior problems in school, have poor interpersonal skills, or develop stress-induced illness. Programs designed to provide social support can improve coping skills, increase interpersonal skills, and reduce emotional withdrawal. The number of parents living with a child generally is linked to the amount and quality of human and economic resources available to that child. Children who live with one parent are substantially more likely to have family incomes below the poverty line than are children who grow up in a household with two parent figures. Research indicates that poverty, in turn, increases the risk that a child will experience significant difficulties. Some communities in Virginia have court-mandated mediation services for families with young children, and other communities offer interventions designed for children of divorce in their public school system.

Births out of wedlock.

An out-of-wedlock birth is one that occurred to a woman who was not married to the father of the child at the time of the event and had not been married to him at any time during the preceding ten months. For this book, the rates for 1994 and following years have been computed using 1994 population estimates because more recent age-appropriate data were not available at the time of publication. In 1992, residence was unknown for one out-of-wedlock birth. These data are based on a calendar year; the percentage is calculated as: **(the number of out-of-wedlock births/total number of births)*100**.

Children of unmarried mothers are at higher risk of having adverse birth outcomes, because their mothers (even when differences in age and educational level are taken into account) are less likely to have received adequate prenatal care, less likely to have gained adequate weight during pregnancy, and more likely to have smoked during pregnancy. Single female parent families are also much more likely to live below the poverty line than other families, even when receiving public assistance.

COMMUNITY WELL-BEING

Every child needs and deserves to grow up in a household that can provide the basic necessities of life: adequate food, clothing, shelter, and health care. These are the fundamental underpinnings of security, and they help a child to grow up healthy and strong. Although parents are ultimately responsible for the well-being of their children, they cannot do it alone. Families need jobs that pay a living wage and provide affordable health care and child care.

Unemployment rate.

Based on a calendar year, these figures are the average annual unemployment rates as determined by the Virginia Employment Commission. The unemployment rate is: **(number of unemployed persons/total civilian labor force)*100**.

The unemployment rate is widely regarded as a key indicator of economic well-being. Secure parental employment enables most families to avoid poverty and its attendant risks to children. Employment also is the means by which most families obtain health insurance and thus ensure that their children have access to health care, so children in working poor families often suffer a lack of access to human resources. Research suggests that secure parental employment also may enhance children's psychological well-being and improve family functioning by reducing stress and other negative effects that unemployment and underemployment can have on parents. The unemployment rate also is an indicator of a community's health and the opportunities available to families. High unemployment rates increase the risk for family instability, child abuse and neglect, and parental depression and conflict. Interestingly, employment does not automatically solve the problem of poverty for many families. The fastest growing segment of poor children reside in families with working parents.

Average per capita income.
This category represents average income per person.

It is established that adequate income is fundamental for the well-being, stability, and self-sufficiency of families; because families create the primary environment for children, adequate family income also is important for their well-being and development. Not all poor families experience negative outcomes, but poverty greatly increases the likelihood of higher health risks, delays in a child's development and growth, learning disabilities, hospitalizations, illnesses, deaths, more school difficulties, more problems for adolescents, more family stress, child abuse and neglect, domestic violence, alcohol and drug abuse, poor health care, poor educational attainment, inadequate housing, and homelessness.

Each year, the United States Department of Health and Human Services sets the poverty guidelines for different family sizes. For example, in 1997 for a family of three to be considered "living in poverty" or "below the poverty line," annual family income could not exceed $13,000. This threshold, originally developed by the Social Security Administration, was based on the amount of money needed for a family to get by on a thrifty food budget.

Fiscal stress level.
The Virginia Commission on Local Government computes an annual fiscal stress index of Virginia's cities and counties. Variables used in determining it include per capita revenue capacity (a locality's ability to generate revenue through taxes and other levies), revenue effort (the ratio of a locality's potential revenue to its actual collections), and median adjusted gross income. These variables and their associated rankings characterize the overall fiscal well-being of a locality. Based on a calendar year, these data not only describe a locality, they also are used in various state funding allocation formulas.

When a locality is under fiscal stress, it is less likely to have the resources to provide the programs and supports that many children and families need. Ironically, as the median adjusted gross income is part of its formula, this indication of fiscal stress also may indicate a higher need for services and supports because of lower incomes. Another unfortunate irony is that many communities' limited resources are being overtaxed by escalating deep-end services (such as jails and foster care). This makes it difficult for communities to invest in cost-effective, front-end services (such as prenatal care, immunizations, and family support) that represent our best hope for long-term solutions.

Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program.
This indicator, based on a fiscal year, shows the percent of students in a school division with approved applications for free or reduced-price lunch during the school year.

Although free or reduced-price school meal eligibility standards are slightly above the poverty line, this is one of the best indicators for percent of children living in poverty, which is linked to almost every major problem that children face. The children who qualify for this program are more likely to live in families where there is not enough money to purchase a balanced diet that ensures proper nutrition for growing children. The connection between poverty, poor nutrition, and educational development is well-documented. Nutrition affects not only the actual physical growth of children, but their learning and social development also. Recent studies show that even mild malnutrition limits a child's ability to learn. Unfortunately, research has shown that as children get older, the stigma attached to free lunch programs results in dramaticallly reduced participation.

Children receiving TANF (was AFDC).
Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) is a federally mandated block grant cash assistance program enacted in 1996; it abolished the 60+ year-old Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC). Although the AFDC and TANF eligibility requirements differ, for the purpose of data presented in this book, the figures are combined in one category to depict a multiple-year trend. Statistics are a monthly average of the number of children receiving TANF. For this book, the rates for 1994 and following years have been computed using 1994 population estimates because more recent age-appropriate data were not available at the time of publication. These data are based on a fiscal year and are calculated as: **(children receiving assistance/population, ages 0-17)*1,000**.

Children receiving government assistance are the poorest of poor children. Childhood poverty has both immediate and lasting negative effects. Children in low-income families are worse off than children in more affluent families for many of the indicators presented in this data book, including those in the areas of economic security, health, and education. The rate of children receiving assistance provides important information about the percentage of children whose current life circumstances are hard and whose futures are potentially limited as a result of their family's low income. Poverty is a risk factor for many problems, and children who live in extreme poverty are more likely to have health problems at birth, lack health care as they grow, have limited educational opportunities, and live in inadequate housing or dangerous neighborhoods.

Average daily school membership.
Referring to the average daily membership in Virginia's public schools, this number — which is based on a fiscal year — reflects the average number of K-12 pupils belonging each day in a room, school, or school system for the report period. This includes all students whose educational services are paid by the school district, even if the students are in alternative education, special education, or other placements physically outside of the school district. Used to calculate cost per pupil, this figure is determined by: **the sum of the days present and absent for all pupils when school is in session during a given period/the number of days school is in session during this period**.

This measure shows the number of children in a community who attend public school or receive services paid for with public funding. The Virginia Council for Private Education estimates that approximately 70,000 students in Virginia attend private schools.

Instructional personnel rate.
Based on a fiscal year, this indicator is the number of teachers, guidance counselors, librarians, principals, and assistant principals per 1,000 students in public schools.

School quality affects whether or not a child will stay in school; schools with fewer teachers in comparison to the number of students and larger schools with larger classes have higher student dropout rates. In reviewing the school dropout prevention literature, it appears that small school and class size are especially beneficial to high-risk students. Children who have problems in school seem to prefer committed teachers who provide individualized attention and instruction. Overcrowding may increase the risk that learning disabilities and other correctable problems will go undiagnosed.

Child day care capacity.
This item represents the total number of slots available in the four categories of day care licensed by the Virginia Department of Social Services. However, it is important to note that all Virginia localities have day care available that is not licensed. These data are point-in-time data. The categories are:

Child day center capacity — The total number of slots available in licensed day centers or those that have applied for and are awaiting approval.

Family day home capacity — The total number of slots available in family homes or those that have applied for and are awaiting approval. Family day homes include private homes in which one through twelve children under the age of 13 are provided care (exclusive of the provider's own children and any children who reside in the home).

Exempt child care capacity — The total number of slots available in religious exempt day care facilities.

Short-term child day center capacity — The total number of slots available in licensed, short-term, child day centers or those that have applied for and are awaiting approval. These programs, which include after school programs, may not operate year-round.

High quality child care promotes the intellectual, physical, social, and emotional development of children, ensuring that they are ready to enter school. School-aged child care programs promote skill-building and safety, and deter potentially unsafe and unreliable circumstances. Economic and social inequalities are reinforced by an absence of day care and parental employment.

The availability of regulated child day care is an indicator of a community's resources that enable families with young children to obtain and maintain employment. Families living at the poverty level often spend up to 25% of their income on child care. This compares with a national non-poverty income average of 6%.

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HOW THIS INFORMATION CAN BE USED

Information is power.

Unfortunately, too many people are intimidated by data and may assume that to identify and use data requires special training. The data presented here should be useful to anyone concerned with the welfare of children in the Commonwealth. Ongoing efforts are being made to make the **KIDS COUNT in Virginia** data more meaningful and easier to understand. With reliable information on various child-related issues, Virginians can begin to make their communities better for children and youth.

KIDS COUNT in Virginia seeks to provide this kind of objective information to assure a brighter future for all Virginians and to assess how the Commonwealth is faring with the current health and well-being of its young people. Annual KIDS COUNT data books provide ongoing benchmarks to help communities target areas of concern and evaluate efforts to improve the lives of their children. Trend data (over multiple years) is presented in this book because, generally, year-to-year change is not a good measure, as differences can result from a one-time phenomenon that is not truly meaningful. By receiving thorough information, Virginians can work together to break the cycle of poor outcomes for young people and develop workable strategies to address children's needs. In becoming more aware of these needs, communities in Virginia can address these issues before children get sick, drop out of school, suffer family breakdown, or get into trouble.

By referring to KIDS COUNT data, leaders, researchers, program planners, advocates, funders, and concerned citizens can see the progress their communities have made or need to make. They also can assess the magnitude of the issue(s) addressed — how many young Virginians are affected. In addition, the data can be used to compare the well-being of local children with those in other communities and to Virginia as a whole.

A lot of information is provided in this data book, and therefore, a lot of potential power. Whether this *KIDS COUNT in Virginia* data book is used for presentations, grant research, education, or policy development, it is hoped that this information will strengthen the collective voice speaking on behalf of Virginia's children.

For more information on using KIDS COUNT data to benefit children, please contact the Action Alliance for Virginia's Children and Youth.

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SOME HELPFUL EXPLANATIONS

CHILD in this data book refers to young people ages 0-17 years.

CURRENT RANK numerically ranks the scores (from 1-135) of Virginia cities and counties on a particular indicator, based on where that community stands in comparison to all other communities in Virginia. Due to the indicators in this *KIDS COUNT in Virginia* data book being negative (i.e., founded cases of abuse or neglect) or positive (i.e., prenatal care beginning in the first trimester), it is important to note that a high current rank (closer to 135) on a negative indicator or a low current rank (closer to 1) on a positive indicator is associated with more risk and community problems. A current rank that is high (closer to 135) on a positive indicator or low (closer to 1) on a negative indicator is associated with community well-being.

DELINQUENCY in this book means violation by a juvenile of a state criminal statute or of a valid court order.

FISCAL YEAR (FY) is the Virginia fiscal year, which runs from July 1 through June 30. (For example, FY 1996 means July 1, 1995, through June 30, 1996.) For school-related data, the school year roughly corresponds with the Virginia fiscal year. Depending on locality, it generally begins in August or September and runs through June.

MAP RANGES (pages 24-29) are quartiles. Roughly one-fourth of the cities and counties are included in each range.

NA indicates that data were not available or were not reported during the time period.

The information presented in this data book is the most recent available (at the time of publication).

The data rates for 1994 and following years have been computed using 1994 population estimates because more recent age-appropriate data were not available at the time of publication. Population estimates were provided by the Bureau of the Census.

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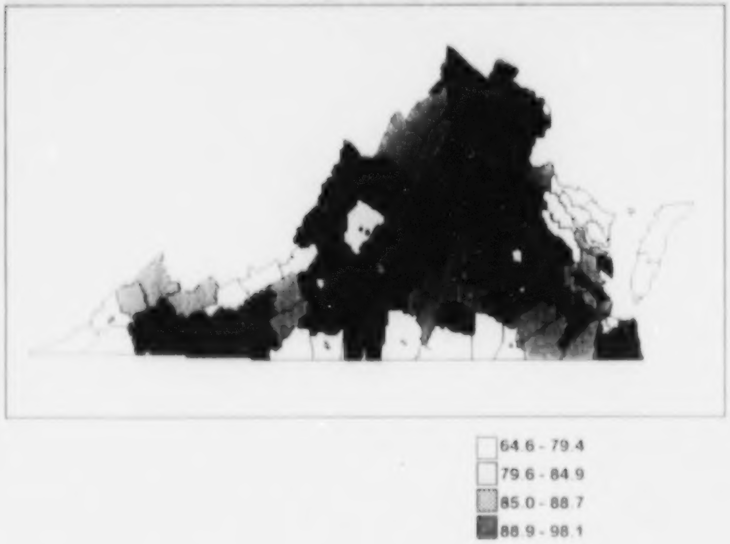
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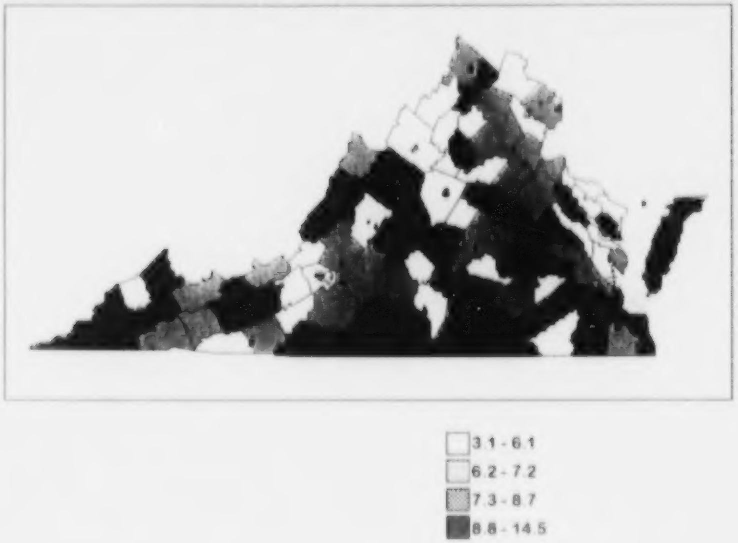
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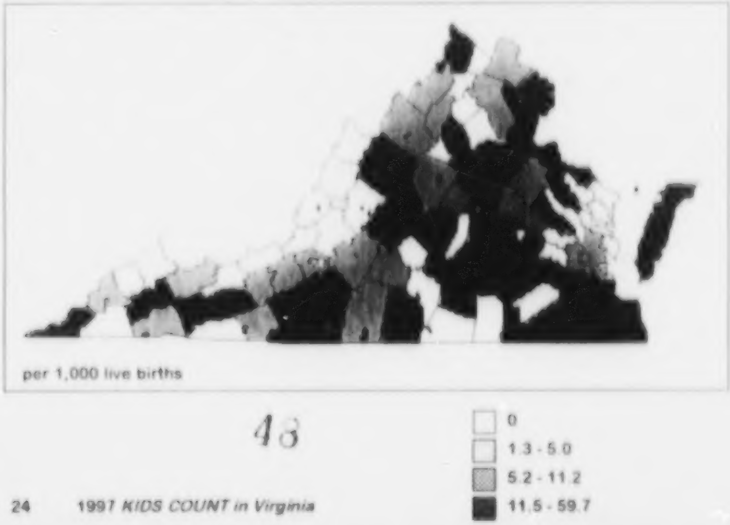
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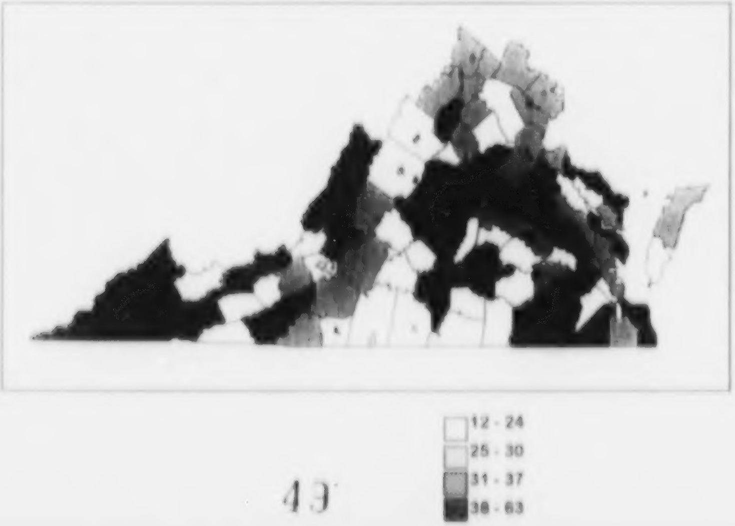
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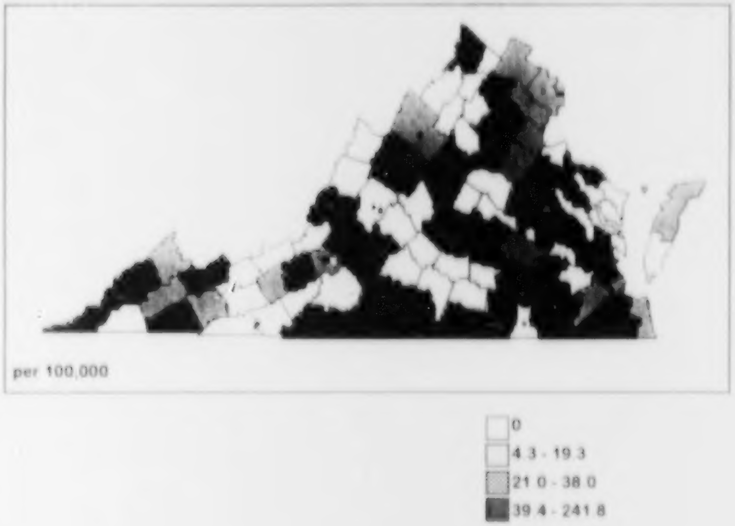
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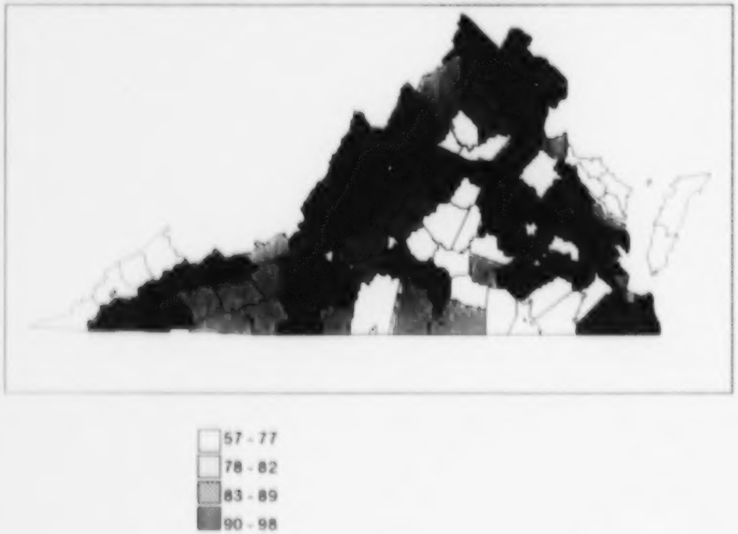
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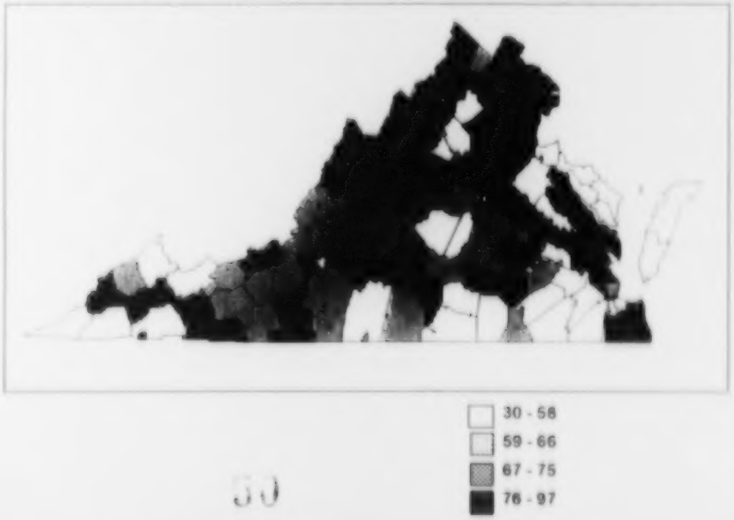
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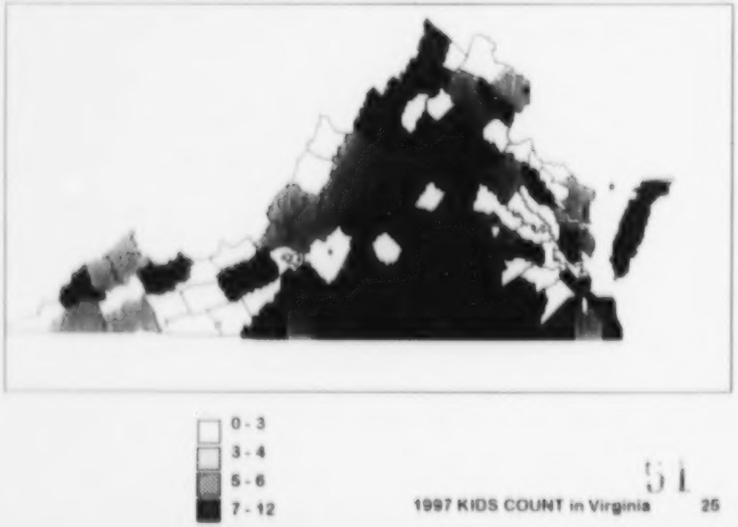

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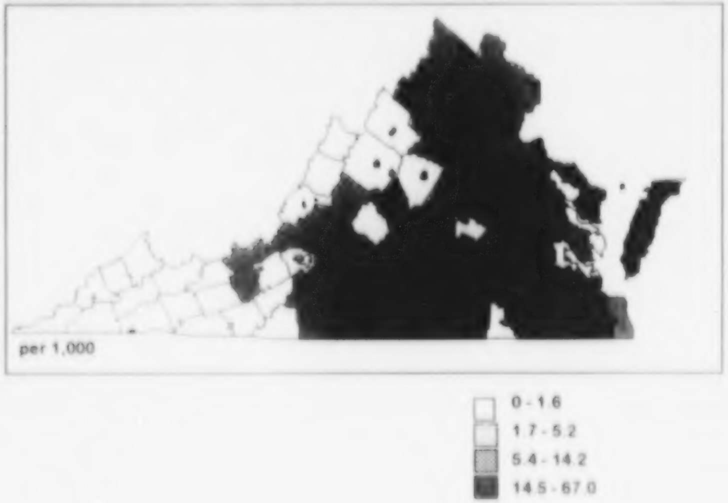
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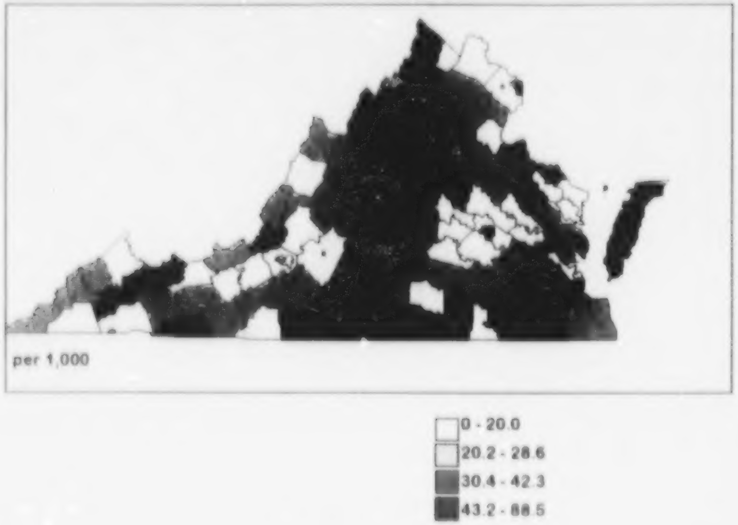
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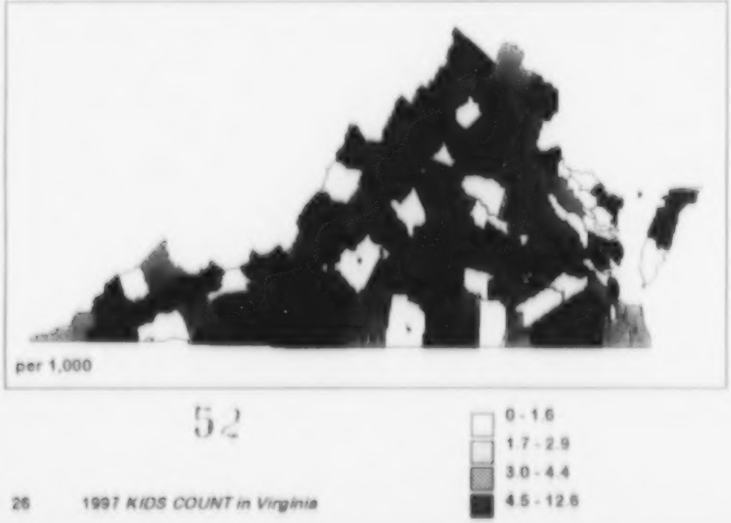
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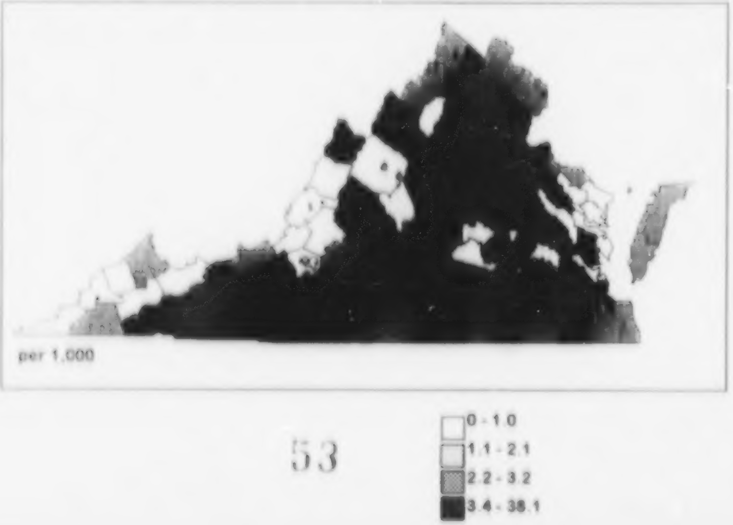
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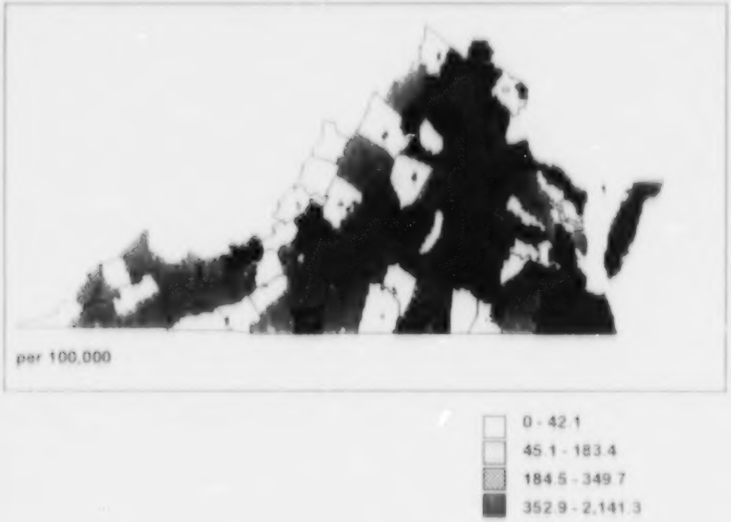
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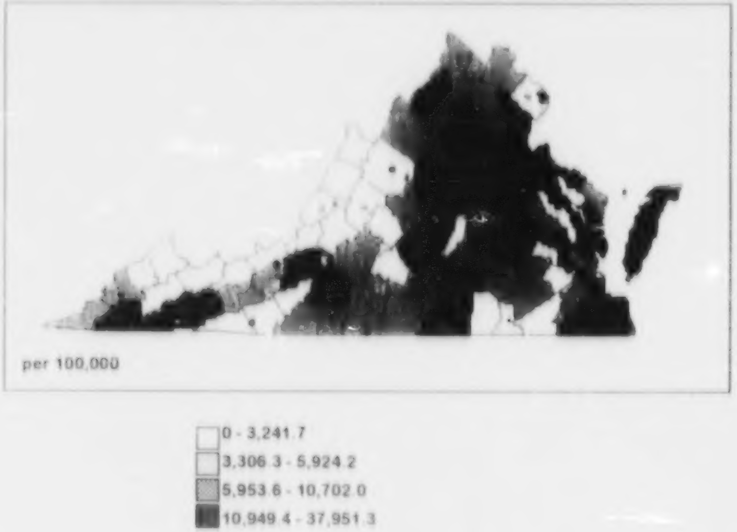
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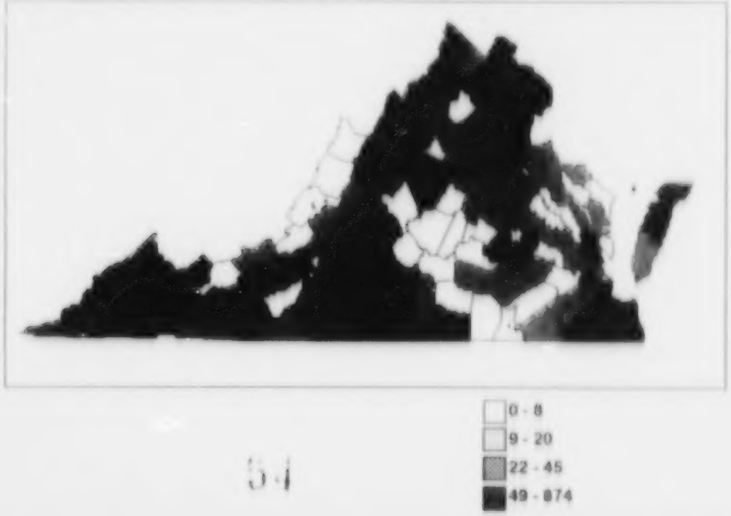
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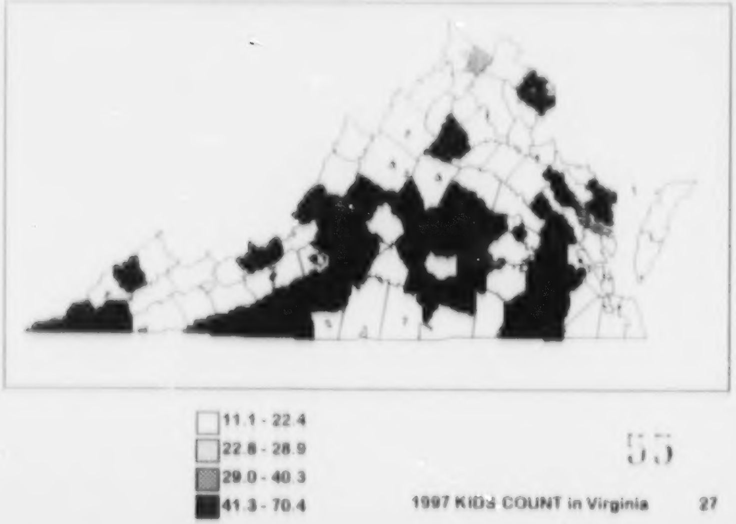
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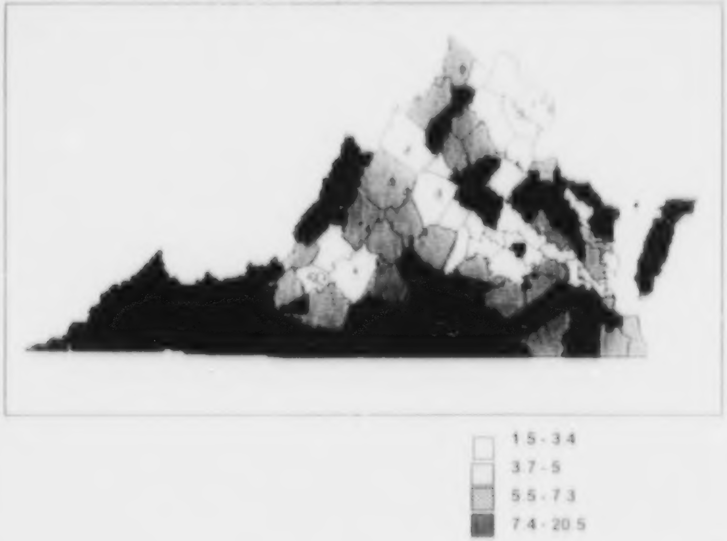
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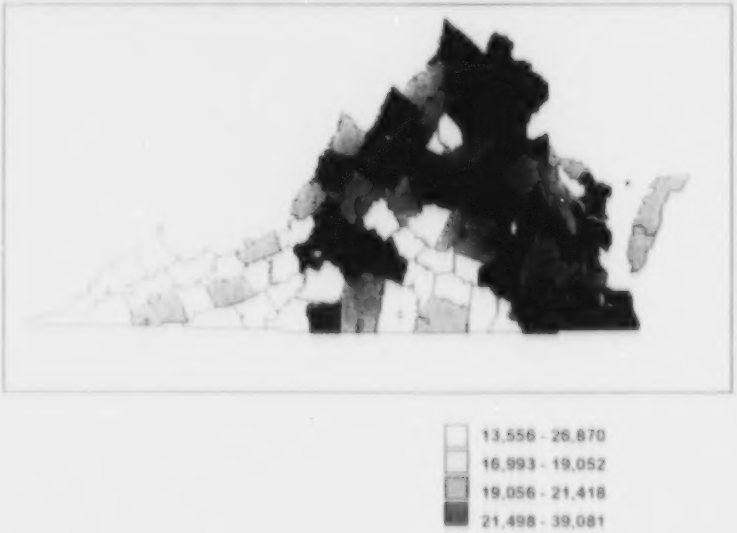
1995 Average Per Capita Income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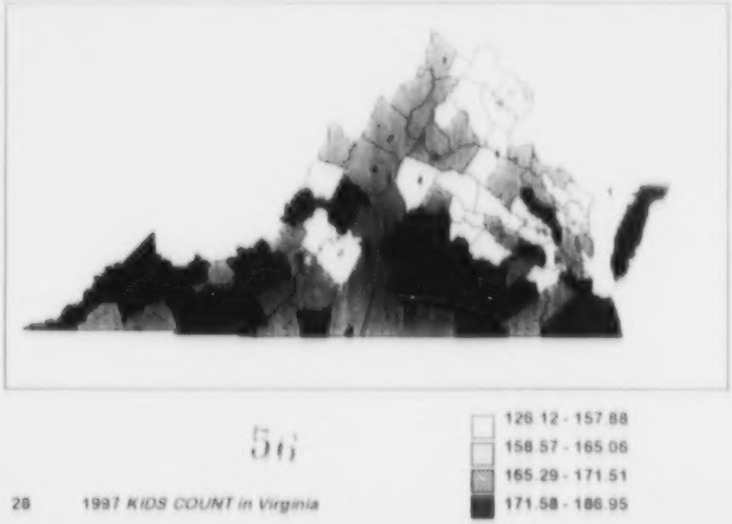
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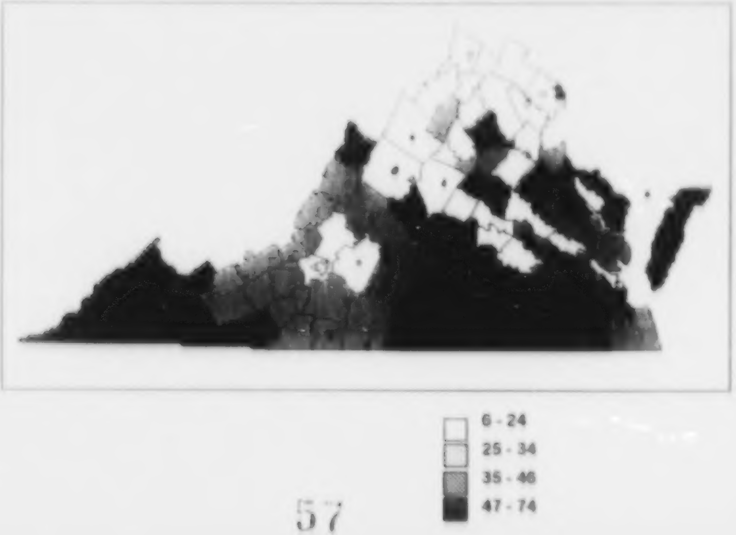
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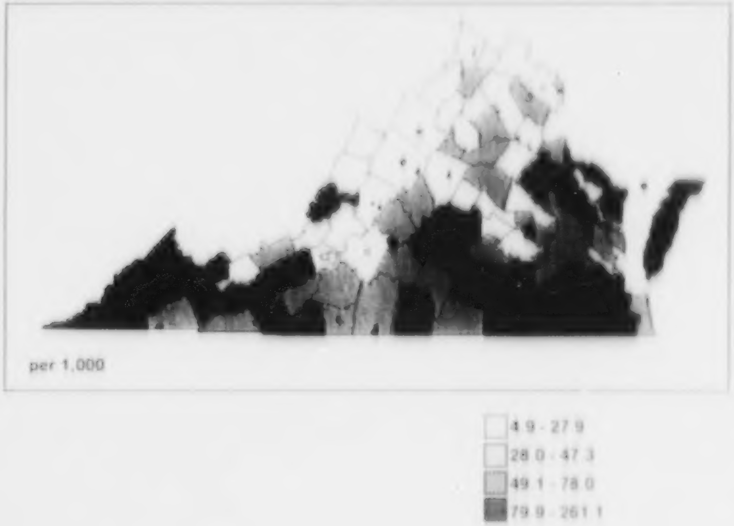
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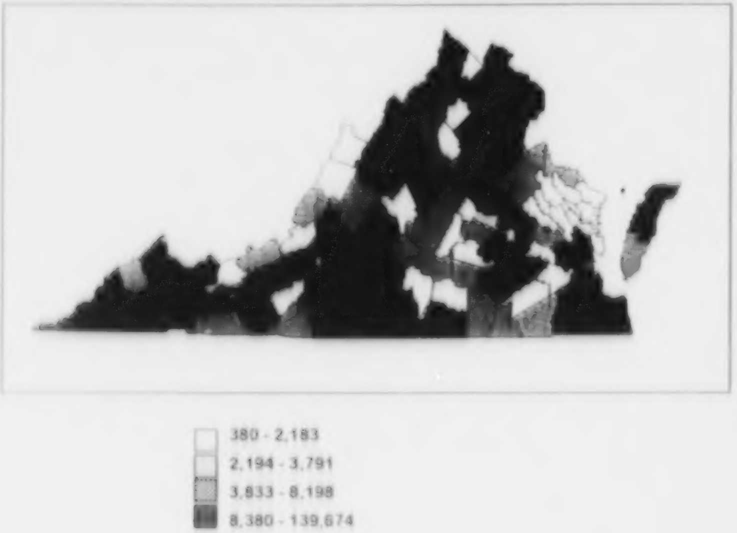
1995-96 Average Daily School Membership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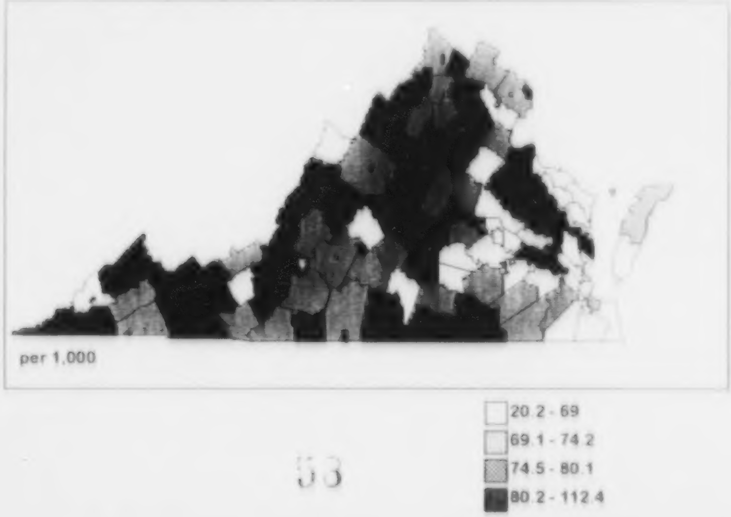
1995-96 Instructional Personnel Rate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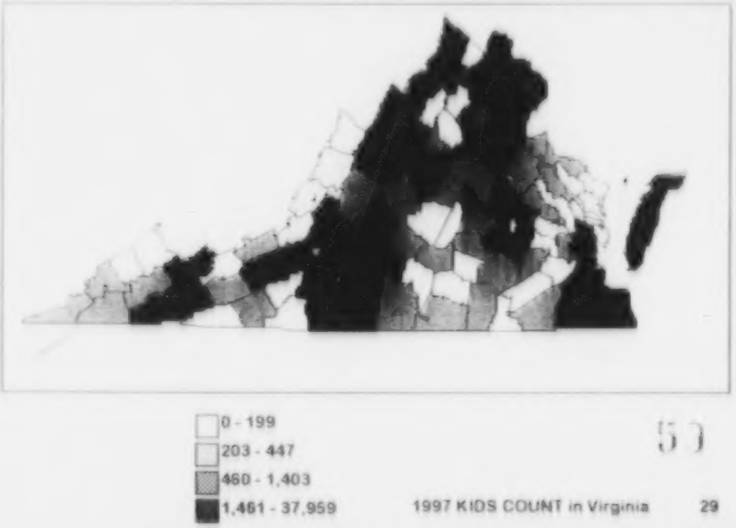
FY1997 Child Day Care Capacity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1,461 - 37,959

VIRGINIA

Square miles: 42,777 Population per square mile: 161.5

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT
Under 1 Year	91,085	1%
1 - 4 Years	374,411	6%
5 - 11 Years	621,942	9%
12 - 14 Years	260,688	4%
15 - 17 Years	250,665	4%
18 - 44 Years	2,907,303	44%
45 - 64 Years	1,319,606	20%
Over 65 Years	724,003	11%
Total	6,549,703	99%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
HEALTHY BIRTHS							
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	80.30%	81.10%	82.00%	82.00%	82.40%	84.8%	NA
Low birth-weight babies	7.2%	7.4%	7.3%	7.5%	7.7%	7.7%	NA
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	10.0	9.3	8.6	8.2	7.7	7.6	NA
CHILDREN'S HEALTH							
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	24	25	27	29	29	30	NA
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	6.0	6.0	6.4	6.2	6.4	6.5	NA
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	27.4	23.5	27.1	25.7	24.6	22.4	NA

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997
SCHOOL SUCCESS							
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	85%	86%	85%	85%	86%	86%	NA
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	72%	63%	69%	70%	66%	70%	NA
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	5%	5%	5%	5%	5%	NA
RISKY BEHAVIOR							
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	8.82	10.24	9.39	7.9	NA
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	33.9	33.1	32.8	33.1	33.6	31.1	NA
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2	2.6	2.9	2.7	NA
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.7	3	2.4	2.8	NA
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	309.3	327.3	315.7	343.0	376.9	332.8	NA
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	7,804.1	8,015.7	8,909.9	8,911.1	NA
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	115	88	104	112	115	97	NA
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	57.6	40.4	48.2	50.1	49.7	54.9	NA
FAMILIES							
Foster care out-of-home placements	6,301	6,045	6,193	6,313	6,839	7,201	7,444
Children whose parents divorced	1.4%	1.4%	1.4%	1.4%	1.4%	NA	NA
Births out of wedlock	28.0%	28.5%	29.2%	29.2%	29.3%	28.9%	NA
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING							
Unemployment rate	5.9%	6.4%	5.1%	4.9%	4.5%	4.4%	NA
Average per capita income	$20,099	$20,909	$21,649	$22,493	$24,010	NA	NA
Fiscal stress level		----NOT COMPUTED ON A STATEWIDE BASIS----					
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	24%	26%	29%	30%	31%	32%	NA
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	71.1	79.7	82.6	82.8	80.8	72.6	58.8
Average daily school membership	991,236	1,008,244	1,022,456	1,035,111	1,049,631	1,232,638	NA
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	69.4	69	69.9	71.1	72.3	73.2	NA
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	201,098	217,184	236,173

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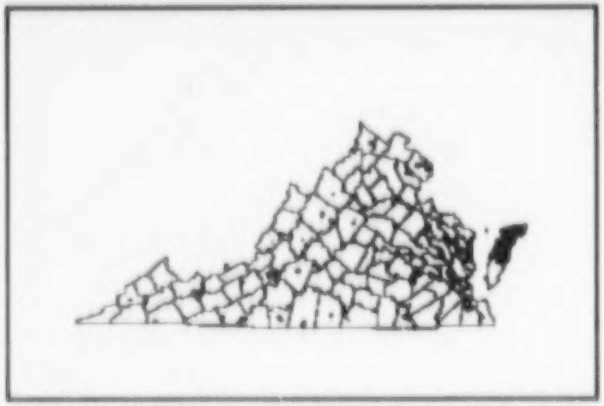

Square miles: 454.61 Population per square mile: 71.19

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	422	1.30%	216	206	195	217	0	0	10
1 - 4 Years	1,655	5.11%	848	807	830	790	3	6	26
5 - 11 Years	2,980	9.21%	1,548	1,432	1,461	1,478	13	6	22
12 - 14 Years	1,361	4.21%	686	675	671	678	1	3	8
15 - 17 Years	1,267	3.91%	656	611	628	626	0	5	8
18 - 44 Years	11,285	34.87%	5,456	5,829	6,651	4,401	16	38	179
45 - 64 Years	7,228	22.33%	3,347	3,881	5,123	2,048	10	15	32
Over 65 Years	6,168	19.06%	2,482	3,686	4,675	1,468	5	3	17
Total	32,366	100.00%	15,239	17,127	20,234	11,706	48	76	302
Percent			47.08%	52.92%	62.52%	36.17%	0.15%	0.23%	0.93%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	68.7%	65.5%	68.4%	70.3%	62.5%	70.9%	NA	131
Low birth weight babies	9.8%	8.0%	9.5%	7.4%	9.0%	11.2%	NA	126
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	12.4	17.8	0.0	12.8	2.7	7.5	NA	83
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	24%	23%	31%	29%	19%	28%	NA	82
Founded cases of abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	9.5	12.7	11.1	11.6	8.3	12.2	NA	121
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	50.5	33.5	33.4	16.7	50.0	16.7	NA	62

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	66%	70%	65%	60%	71%	68%	NA	128
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	43%	37%	50%	57%	42%	46%	NA	122
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	7%	8%	7%	8%	8%	8%	NA	124
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	24.81	22.07	19.79	17.9	NA	116
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	79.7	52.1	71.7	60.6	52.4	49.1	NA	116
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.1	1.7	3.5	3.5	NA	88
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.8	3.2	3.9	1.8	NA	61
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	39.7	117.5	116.3	76.1	114.2	228.3	NA	82
Intake cases involving delinquency (per 100,000)	NA	NA	5,891.5	8,561.6	8,790.0	10,007.6	NA	95
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	3	1	1	0	1	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	163.7	81.1	0.0	0.0	78.9	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	20	15	25	15	19	28	23	64
Children whose parents divorced	1.2%	1.0%	1.2%	0.9%	1.1%	NA	NA	35
Births out of wedlock	50.2%	49.9%	60.5%	46.9%	53.0%	54.7%	NA	126
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	7.10%	9.60%	8.70%	8.00%	8.20%	9.1%	NA	120
Average per capita income	$14,755	$15,358	$15,559	$16,533	$17,892	NA	NA	86
Fiscal stress level	NA	171.56	170.29	171.07	170.78	NA	NA	97.0
Students approved for free or reduced school lunch program	50%	53%	54%	58%	58%	59%	NA	125
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	107.7	123.8	126.8	130.6	119.3	97.3	79.9	102
Average daily school membership	5,086	5,146	5,293	5,331	5,354	5,408	NA	89
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	67.7	78.6	78.8	67.6	72.4	71.9	NA	48
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	925	1,003	1,038	41

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ALBEMARLE

Square miles: 722.75 Population per square mile: 99.28

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	980	1.37%	499	481	800	128	1	38	13
1 - 4 Years	3,935	5.48%	2,009	1,926	3,324	392	3	140	76
5 - 11 Years	6,526	9.09%	3,343	3,183	5,577	699	8	139	103
12 - 14 Years	2,486	3.46%	1,253	1,233	2,069	312	7	55	43
15 - 17 Years	2,313	3.22%	1,182	1,131	1,961	270	6	55	21
18 - 44 Years	34,294	47.79%	16,733	17,561	28,593	3,798	38	1,376	489
45 - 64 Years	13,896	19.37%	6,653	7,243	12,352	1,225	8	193	118
Over 65 Years	7,327	10.21%	3,246	4,081	6,405	841	6	31	44
Total	71,757	99.99%	34,918	36,839	61,081	7,665	77	2,027	907
Percent			48.66%	51.34%	85.12%	10.68%	0.11%	2.82%	1.26%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	84.7%	88.3%	88.1%	85.3%	90.1%	90.6%	NA	20
Low birth-weight babies	5.2%	5.4%	5.4%	5.6%	7.1%	5.4%	NA	18
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	4.6	3.8	5.9	4.5	1.2	2.3	NA	47
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	14%	17%	29%	29%	25%	31%	NA	56
Founded cases of abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	8.7	6.2	7.3	7.5	7.0	7.0	NA	81
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	16.1	8.0	31.5	38.6	7.7	23.2	NA	75

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	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	81%	81%	87%	86%	85%	88%	NA	36
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	74%	66%	73%	71%	73%	77%	NA	20
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	2%	3%	2%	2%	4%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.51	3.33	2.71	1.0	NA	26
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	23.3	18.5	26.6	25.6	20.3	28.3	NA	66
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	5.7	3.8	3.1	4.5	NA	105
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.2	2.5	2.5	3.2	NA	99
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	44.6	109.6	86.2	83.4	145.9	41.7	NA	32
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	5,862.1	5,834.5	4,980.2	6,501.4	NA	72
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	1	2	0	0	1	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	45.1	44.8	0.0	86.5	43.2	NA	84
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	52	46	6	44	56	50	74	24
Children whose parents divorced	1.3%	1.5%	1.4%	1.5%	1.3%	NA	NA	57
Births out of wedlock	18.4%	19.8%	21.3%	19.7%	18.0%	18.5%	NA	13
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	3.40%	3.90%	2.70%	2.40%	2.00%	2.2%	NA	2
Average per capita income	$20,998	$22,465	$23,973	$24,837	$26,357	NA	NA	14
Fiscal stress level	NA	155.50	154.60	153.77	154.00	NA	NA	17
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	15%	19%	18%	19%	18%	19%	NA	19
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	31.1	34.7	34.9	30.4	29.2	24.9	21.9	24
Average daily school membership	10,024	10,143	10,342	10,554	10,802	10,970	NA	116
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	73.2	73.5	75.7	79.3	76.1	75.8	NA	78
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	1,207	1,277	1,323	38

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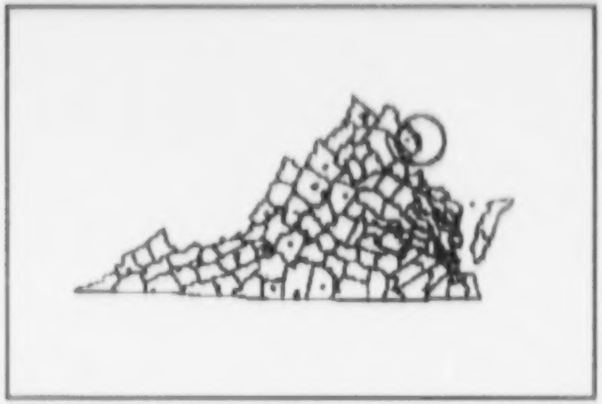

Square miles: 15.27 Population per square mile: 7,431.05

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	1,537	1.35%	778	759	661	455	5	124	292
1 - 4 Years	4,944	4.36%	2,486	2,458	2,215	1,561	13	335	820
5 - 11 Years	6,405	5.64%	3,214	3,191	2,724	2,343	28	382	928
12 - 14 Years	2,457	2.17%	1,197	1,260	970	1,000	15	137	335
15 - 17 Years	2,591	2.28%	1,362	1,229	958	981	13	190	449
18 - 44 Years	62,090	54.72%	30,069	32,021	37,620	14,117	266	3,155	6,932
45 - 64 Years	21,418	18.87%	10,568	10,850	15,079	3,897	69	1,025	1,348
Over 65 Years	12,035	10.61%	4,214	7,821	9,647	1,700	9	388	291
Total	113,477	100.00%	53,888	59,589	69,874	26,054	418	5,736	11,395
Percent			47.49%	52.51%	61.58%	22.96%	0.37%	5.05%	10.04%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	64.3%	64.3%	66.3%	68.3%	70.1%	74.2%	NA	125
Low birth-weight babies	6.8%	7.2%	7.2%	6.7%	6.7%	7.6%	NA	75
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	10.6	7.4	5.4	10.6	7.1	4.7	NA	63
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	17%	18%	19%	10%	14%	14%	NA	133
Founded cases of abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	14.2	13.2	9.1	16.2	12.5	12.8	NA	123
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	37.0	7.3	28.9	7.2	21.7	29.0	NA	87

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	80%	86%	85%	81%	82%	78%	NA	88
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	67%	54%	58%	59%	56%	56%	NA	105
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	3%	4%	5%	6%	10%	6%	NA	102
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	22.69	24.56	21.99	19.0	NA	118
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	56.5	39.0	53.9	48.0	46.4	39.1	NA	96
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.9	1.6	3.5	3.3	NA	79
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.3	6.3	5.0	3.8	NA	110
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	734.5	820.8	783.0	614.1	911.3	1,089.5	NA	129
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	13,170.0	13,094.3	14,421.6	11,866.1	NA	102
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	2	0	1	0	2	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	121.8	0.0	39.3	77.2	38.6	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	172	152	131	130	136	142	137	15
Children whose parents divorced	1.8%	3.4%	3.9%	3.7%	3.6%	NA	NA	134
Births out of wedlock	33.7%	31.8%	33.2%	32.5%	31.3%	28.7	NA	67
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	4.90%	6.40%	5.90%	4.60%	4.50%	3.9%	NA	43
Average per capita income	$31,214	$32,126	$33,631	$35,333	$39,081	NA	NA	1
Fiscal stress level	NA	151.30	152.80	150.10	155.02	NA	NA	19
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	38%	44%	45%	49%	51%	49%	NA	108
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	106.9	132.0	151.4	162.5	156.5	141.5	109.1	118
Average daily school membership	9,445	9,564	9,767	9,737	9,730	9,976	NA	109
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	86.8	83.6	85.6	88.1	90.7	95.7	NA	132
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	3,823	4,024	4,723	13

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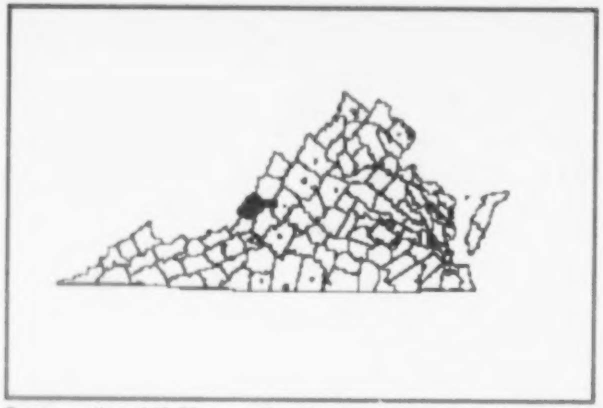

Square miles: 445.89 Population per square mile: 28.37

Data are combined for Alleghany County and Clifton Forge City for: middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests, 4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile, 6th graders passing all three Literacy Passport Tests, 9th - 12th graders who dropped out of school, incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school, incidents of students possessing weapons in school, students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program, average daily school membership, and instructional personnel rate.

Data are combined for Alleghany County and Covington City for children whose parents divorced.

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	129	1.02%	64	65	122	4	0	1	2
1 - 4 Years	599	4.73%	306	293	573	18	0	2	6
5 - 11 Years	1,176	9.29%	627	549	1,126	35	2	5	8
12 - 14 Years	540	4.27%	280	260	513	18	1	3	5
15 - 17 Years	560	4.43%	312	248	526	24	1	4	5
18 - 44 Years	4,610	36.44%	2,294	2,316	4,463	111	4	16	16
45 - 64 Years	3,228	25.51%	1,637	1,591	3,139	70	3	8	8
Over 65 Years	1,810	14.31%	801	1,009	1,749	53	2	1	5
Total	12,652	100.00%	6,321	6,331	12,211	333	13	40	55
Percent			49.96%	50.04%	96.51%	2.63%	0.10%	0.32%	0.43%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	89.0%	86.8%	90.5%	85.4%	90.8%	93.3%	NA	7
Low birth-weight babies	4.8%	7.2%	11.4%	9.3%	8.5%	7.9%	NA	79
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	13.8	6.0	6.3	6.6	19.6	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	29%	25%	29%	35%	45%	35%	NA	40
Founded cases of abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	2.9	3.8	1.6	2.3	2.3	10.3	NA	109
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	43.2	NA	106

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	80%	83%	74%	74%	84%	84%	NA	58
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	56%	51%	71%	70%	65%	65%	NA	72
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	6%	8%	5%	6%	4%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.0	0.91	0.0	0.9	NA	25
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	19.3	39.1	31.5	32.3	16.1	20.2	NA	35
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.5	6.2	1.6	5.2	NA	114
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.5	1.3	3.6	0.7	NA	19
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	88.7	444.0	181.8	0.0	0.0	NA	1
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	5,328.6	7,727.3	5,272.7	909.1	NA	5
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	0	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	343.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	4	5	1	2	2	4	5	112
Children whose parents divorced	1.5%	1.6%	1.5%	1.8%	1.5%	NA	NA	82
Births out of wedlock	16.6%	21.0%	24.1%	23.8%	26.8%	18.8%	NA	14
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	10.10%	9.50%	7.00%	8.50%	5.90%	5.5%	NA	83
Average per capita income	$15,306	$16,125	$16,807	$17,752	$19,044	NA	NA	70
Fiscal stress level	NA	166.93	167.60	166.25	167.72	NA	NA	85
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	29%	31%	32%	32%	32%	34%	NA	66
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	45.5	46.2	42.8	44.9	50.6	51.3	50.3	71
Average daily school membership	3,199	3,123	3,141	3,075	3,076	3,056	NA	60
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	73.1	75.3	80.6	78.9	78.5	81.1	NA	110
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	78	78	0	134

AMELIA

Square miles: 356.83 Population per square mile: 26.74

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	123	1.29%	65	58	90	33	0	0	0
1 - 4 Years	528	5.53%	277	251	363	162	0	1	2
5 - 11 Years	975	10.22%	530	445	625	338	2	1	9
12 - 14 Years	429	4.50%	227	202	280	146	0	0	3
15 - 17 Years	415	4.35%	207	208	257	156	1	0	1
18 - 44 Years	3,599	37.71%	1,768	1,831	2,380	1,200	5	6	8
45 - 64 Years	2,154	22.57%	1,041	1,113	1,429	711	5	5	4
Over 65 Years	1,320	13.83%	592	728	808	507	1	0	4
Total	9.543	100.00%	4,707	4,836	6,232	3,253	14	13	31
Percent			49.32%	50.68%	65.30%	34.09%	0.15%	0.14%	0.32%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	81.0%	87.3%	83.5%	83.5%	85.9%	84.9%	NA	68
Low birth-weight babies	6.0%	5.5%	6.8%	7.2%	12.0%	4.8%	NA	9
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	0.0	0.0	29.1	7.2	7.0	23.8	NA	130
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	24%	20%	48%	42%	32%	37%	NA	33
Founded cases of abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	5.1	3.3	3.2	2.0	4.0	10.1	NA	105
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	54.5	0.0	207.3	51.8	0.0	103.5	NA	128

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	70%	69%	72%	69%	74%	71%	NA	119
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	68%	63%	55%	53%	43%	64%	NA	77
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	6%	6%	5%	5%	4%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	10.84	11.85	5.92	7.1	NA	83
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	25.9	10.1	29.4	33.7	28.8	19.2	NA	28
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	6.6	22.6	6.0	2.3	NA	50
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.8	10.7	1.2	0.0	NA	1
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	516.1	124.5	120.5	118.5	0.0	710.9	NA	121
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	5,542.2	6,042.7	6,872.0	5,924.2	NA	64
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	1	2	0	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	491.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	8	9	5	2	2	3	3	119
Children whose parents divorced	1.0%	1.1%	1.1%	1.5%	0.6%	NA	NA	1
Births out of wedlock	31.0%	30.0%	28.2%	26.6%	33.8%	22.2%	NA	31
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	6.60%	8.50%	6.30%	6.40%	5.20%	3.7%	NA	36
Average per capita income	$15,276	$15,756	$16,046	$17,167	$17,463	NA	NA	97
Fiscal stress level	NA	163.80	163.94	164.79	165.68	NA	NA	75
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	32%	34%	37%	38%	39%	38%	NA	84
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	49.1	50.3	50.8	53.0	47.4	38.1	31.6	40
Average daily school membership	1,596	1,643	1,672	1,678	1,676	1,740	NA	26
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	64.4	64.9	66.1	68.6	69.7	68.5	NA	26
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	207	223	245	94

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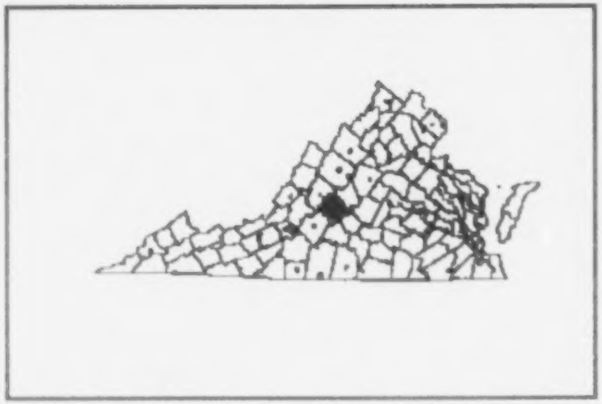

Square miles: 475.26 Population per square mile: 61.97

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	339	1.15%	182	157	262	73	1	3	0
1 - 4 Years	1,495	5.08%	790	705	1,134	354	2	2	3
5 - 11 Years	2,625	8.91%	1,319	1,306	2,014	588	11	6	6
12 - 14 Years	1,129	3.83%	575	554	867	252	4	2	4
15 - 17 Years	1,308	4.44%	680	628	883	411	4	5	5
18 - 44 Years	11,961	40.61%	5,721	6,240	9,071	2,660	55	45	130
45 - 64 Years	6,791	23.06%	3,346	3,445	5,425	1,294	29	15	28
Over 65 Years	3,803	12.91%	1,608	2,195	3,065	703	24	1	10
Total	29,451	99.99%	14,221	15,230	22,721	6,335	130	79	186
Percent			48.29%	51.71%	77.15%	21.51%	0.44%	0.27%	0.63%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	88.7%	87.5%	83.9%	93.3%	87.9%	89.8%	NA	27
Low birth-weight babies	6.7%	3.6%	6.8%	8.0%	5.6%	9.4%	NA	110
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	2.7	5.9	8.5	13.4	5.9	13.8	NA	112
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	22%	28%	21%	20%	18%	17%	NA	126
Founded cases of abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	9.0	6.9	3.5	4.1	4.8	3.2	NA	29
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	115.7	76.6	38.3	19.1	19.1	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	80%	85%	80%	78%	77%	78%	NA	88
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	69%	51%	62%	65%	61%	60%	NA	91
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	3%	5%	3%	4%	4%	5%	NA	81
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	5.45	4.51	7.80	1.2	NA	29
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	26.4	14.8	26.1	15.9	35.0	20.7	NA	36
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.4	3.9	4.6	4.1	NA	97
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.7	2.6	2.6	3.2	NA	100
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	65.5	168.9	125.8	0.0	123.1	164.1	NA	63
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	6,585.6	7,468.2	10,012.3	3,241.7	NA	30
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	2	1	2	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	79.2	78.6	78.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	20	16	22	21	25	32	25	61
Children whose parents divorced	1.6%	1.6%	1.5%	1.5%	1.3%	NA	NA	59
Births out of wedlock	29.1%	31.2%	33.1%	28.3%	31.8%	29.0%	NA	70
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	6.10%	6.60%	4.30%	4.40%	3.70%	3.9%	NA	43
Average per capita income	$13,550	$14,023	$14,921	$15,482	$16,022	NA	NA	112
Fiscal stress level	NA	165.03	164.73	163.97	164.07	NA	NA	58
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	20%	22%	24%	25%	24%	28%	NA	48
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	40.8	48.8	52.4	48.7	47.1	38.4	36.0	49
Average daily school membership	4,521	4,588	4,579	4,575	4,599	4,660	NA	81
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	67.2	64.5	70.5	71.8	72.3	68.5	NA	25
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	562	492	616	59

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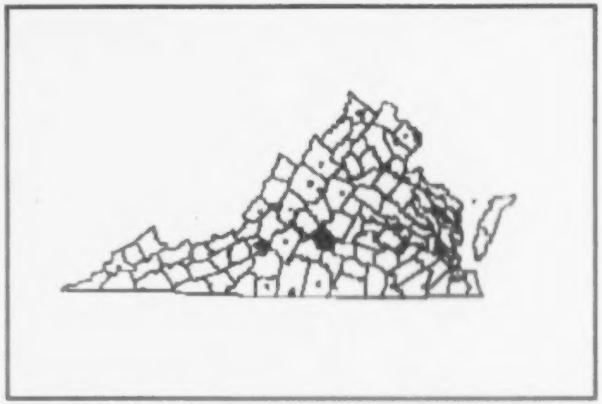

Square miles: 333.70 Population per square mile: 37.90

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	149	1.18%	68	81	101	48	0	0	0
1 - 4 Years	647	5.12%	323	324	449	197	1	0	0
5 - 11 Years	1,198	9.47%	629	569	872	322	1	0	3
12 - 14 Years	560	4.43%	274	286	377	180	0	2	1
15 - 17 Years	566	4.48%	279	287	409	154	0	1	2
18 - 44 Years	4,631	36.62%	2,236	2,395	3,393	1,220	9	0	9
45 - 64 Years	2,979	23.56%	1,474	1,505	2,359	612	2	3	3
Over 65 Years	1,916	15.15%	826	1,090	1,580	332	1	0	3
Total	12,646	100.01%	6,109	6,537	9,540	3,065	14	6	21
Percent			48.31%	51.69%	75.44%	24.24%	0.11%	0.05%	0.17%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	84.1%	83.9%	89.4%	91.7%	85.4%	89.0%	NA	33
Low birth-weight babies	5.1%	5.6%	6.2%	7.8%	7.9%	5.2%	NA	15
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	6.4	12.4	0.0	16.7	13.2	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	17%	12%	16%	16%	19%	16%	NA	127
Founded cases of abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	3.5%	1.3%	4.5%	4.8%	3.2%	4.8%	NA	55
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	165.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	89%	86%	87%	74%	76%	77%	NA	96
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	72%	52%	73%	71%	67%	68%	NA	62
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	2%	3%	4%	3%	4%	3%	NA	24
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	9.91	8.88	8.88	14.2	NA	101
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	28.6	28.4	14.1	34.8	31.4	48.8	NA	115
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.4	0.4	3.9	1.7	NA	39
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.5	7.9	3.5	3.0	NA	94
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	91.5	635.2	90.1	0.0	0.0	88.8	NA	50
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	5,225.2	6,483.1	5,683.8	7,904.1	NA	87
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	1	1	1	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	179.9	0.0	0.0	176.7	176.7	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	3	2	1	0	0	0	2	124
Children whose parents divorced	1.3%	1.3%	1.5%	1.1%	1.7%	NA	NA	98
Births out of wedlock	36.3%	37.9%	34.2%	35.6%	37.1%	34.9%	NA	85
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	7.10%	9.40%	7.10%	6.80%	6.00%	5.7%	NA	84
Average per capita income	$14,551	$15,394	$15,756	$16,728	$16,870	NA	NA	102
Fiscal stress level	NA	166.06	166.75	168.97	165.42	NA	NA	71
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	24%	27%	29%	31%	32%	33%	NA	63
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	62.1	70.2	64.7	70.5	71.2	67.0	77.6	100
Average daily school membership	2,248	2,290	2,269	2,275	2,302	2,318	NA	39
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	69	69.5	69.2	68.5	70.3	71.2	NA	43
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	271	259	261	89

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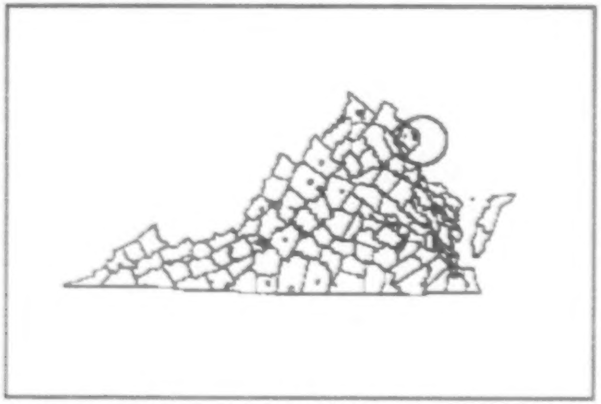

Square miles: 25.88 Population per square mile: 6,747.10

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	2,296	131%	1,218	1,078	1,187	297	10	235	567
1 - 4 Years	7,503	4.30%	3,832	3,671	3,912	1,044	33	774	1,740
5 - 11 Years	9,901	5.67%	5,084	4,817	5,125	1,563	56	981	2,176
12 - 14 Years	3,660	2.10%	1,918	1,742	1,760	570	34	432	864
15 - 17 Years	3,715	2.13%	1,918	1,797	1,726	599	23	424	943
18 - 44 Years	93,804	53.72%	47,561	46,243	59,820	10,917	420	7,947	14,700
45 - 64 Years	33,203	19.01%	16,413	16,790	24,729	2,782	102	2,543	3,047
Over 65 Years	20,535	11.76%	7,738	12,797	17,440	1,419	24	803	849
Total	174,617	100.00%	85,682	88,935	115,699	19,191	702	14,139	24,886
Percent			49.07%	50.93%	66.26%	10.99%	0.40%	8.10%	14.25%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	73.3%	74.8%	72.6%	72.4%	68.9%	78.1%	NA	110
Low birth-weight babies	5.6%	5.8%	6.4%	6.2%	5.7%	6.0%	NA	33
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	10.9	7.9	10.3	3.0	6.4	7.8	NA	87
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	23%	23%	21%	21%	21%	21%	NA	112
Founded cases of abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	6.4	9.4	7.7	7.9	6.7	7.6	NA	85
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	29.5	19.5	24.0	9.5	28.5	9.5	NA	52

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	90%	91%	91%	91%	92%	93%	NA	14
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	79%	67%	69%	70%	67%	77%	NA	20
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	8%	6%	6%	6%	5%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	7.38	5.97	9.22	7.5	NA	84
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	23.1	37.6	28.8	40.1	38.4	44.0	NA	103
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.5	3.3	3.7	4.4	NA	101
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.3	2.9	2.6	1.9	NA	65
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	800.0	598.8	529.0	2,183.1	1,098.3	1,152.5	NA	130
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	19,560.1	21,369.5	23,064.4	24,949.2	NA	127
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	1	0	1	0	1	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	85.3	0.0	27.7	53.8	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	150	167	166	166	171	182	173	11
Children whose parents divorced	1.5%	1.8%	1.6%	1.5%	1.5%	NA	NA	80
Births out of wedlock	24.7%	25.0%	25.1%	25.9%	24.6%	22.8%	NA	35
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	3.50%	4.50%	4.40%	3.50%	3.50%	3.2%	NA	27
Average per capita income	$31,431	$32,937	$34,089	$35,376	$37,981	NA	NA	2
Fiscal stress level	NA	148.82	149.22	149.74	149.97	NA	NA	9
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	27%	33%	36%	37%	38%	42%	NA	94
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	51.2	66.6	78.3	86.6	87.8	80.7	43.4	61
Average daily school membership	14,702	15,126	15,730	16,315	16,645	16,993	NA	122
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	85.7	85.1	86.6	89.4	93.7	94.1	NA	131
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	5,753	6,003	5,564	11

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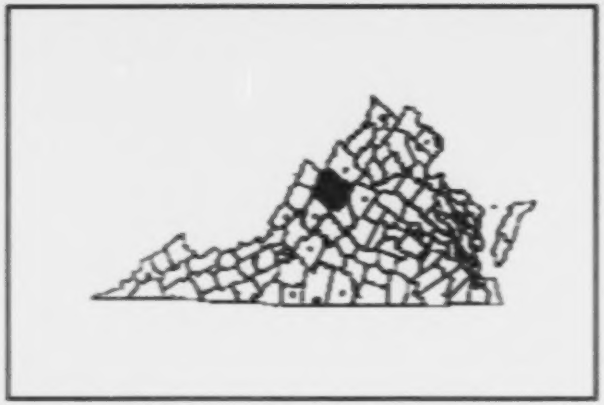

Square miles: 971.71 Population per square mile: 59.57

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	717	1.24%	370	347	694	17	1	0	5
1 - 4 Years	2,927	5.06%	1,497	1,430	2,820	79	0	12	16
5 - 11 Years	5,687	9.83%	2,977	2,710	5,481	163	4	10	29
12 - 14 Years	2,388	4.13%	1,224	1,164	2,301	56	1	13	17
15 - 17 Years	2,357	4.07%	1,227	1,130	2,264	60	7	15	11
18 - 44 Years	23,430	40.48%	12,171	11,259	21,880	1,348	22	63	117
45 - 64 Years	13,481	23.29%	6,804	6,677	13,036	365	12	20	48
Over 65 Years	6,894	11.91%	3,015	3,879	6,679	180	3	9	23
Total	57,881	100.01%	29,285	28,596	55,155	2,268	50	142	266
Percent			50.60%	49.40%	95.29%	3.92%	0.09%	0.25%	0.46%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	84.0%	87.3%	87.4%	85.9%	88.7%	87.8%	NA	47
Low birth-weight babies	6.2%	6.9%	5.8%	4.6%	7.1%	7.2%	NA	68
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	4.4	3.1	6.5	7.2	5.8	7.8%	NA	86
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	18%	17%	22%	26%	26%	23%	NA	103
Founded cases of abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	4.0	4.0	5.0	3.8	3.6	3.2	NA	30
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	46.9	46.4	27.6	36.4	9.1	27.3	NA	81

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	83%	86%	87%	87%	85%	86%	NA	48
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	75%	63%	64%	75%	73%	76%	NA	24
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	3%	3%	2%	3%	3%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.73	0.42	1.48	0.2	NA	17.0
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	22.0	28.3	19.0	19.5	23.0	28.3	NA	67
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.7	5.3	3.5	2.9	NA	70
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.1	0.9	1.3	0.7	NA	21
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	111.0	87.7	0.0	63.2	42.1	42.1	NA	34
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	4,320.6	2,233.9	2,297.2	2,592.2	NA	24
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	2	2	2	1	1	3	NA	126
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	44.0	87.6	87.0	84.9	127.3	212.1	NA	125
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	25	19	22	27	19	17	22	65
Children whose parents divorced	1.8%	1.5%	1.7%	1.7%	1.7%	NA	NA	101
Births out of wedlock	21.0%	17.9%	23.6%	19.9%	21.4%	22.4%	NA	34
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	5.80%	6.10%	4.60%	5.30%	5.90%	4.0%	NA	48
Average per capita income	$17,090	$17,697	$18,189	$18,917	$19,910	NA	NA	51
Fiscal stress level	NA	158.71	158.85	159.07	159.06	NA	NA	36
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	15%	16%	17%	18%	19%	19%	NA	19
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	24.7	29.4	30.0	31.1	32.1	29.3	20.5	23
Average daily school membership	9,775	9,888	10,031	10,229	10,417	10,629	NA	114
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	70.2	76.3	71.2	72.8	74.7	69.5	NA	34
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	698	750	890	44

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Square miles: 531.88 Population per square mile: 9.13

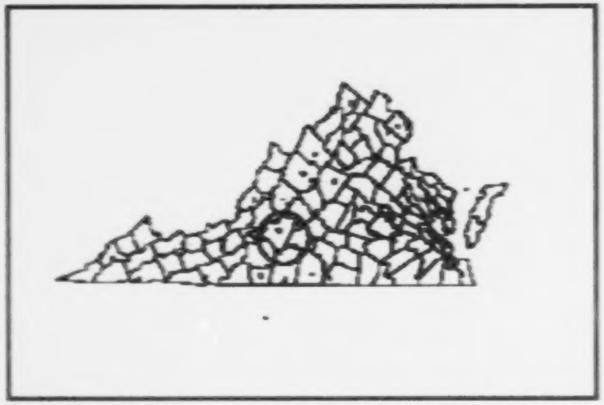
1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	51	1.05%	26	25	48	2	0	0	1
1 - 4 Years	211	4.35%	112	99	202	4	0	4	1
5 - 11 Years	417	8.59%	218	199	397	17	0	0	3
12 - 14 Years	157	3.23%	97	60	142	14	0	1	0
15 - 17 Years	189	3.89%	100	89	175	13	0	0	1
18 - 44 Years	1,698	34.97%	885	813	1,603	82	0	4	9
45 - 64 Years	1,348	27.76%	682	666	1,270	74	1	2	1
Over 65 Years	785	16.17%	346	439	730	53	0	0	2
Total	4,856	100.01%	2,466	2,390	4,567	259	1	11	18
Percent			50.78%	49.22%	94.05%	5.33%	0.02%	0.23%	0.37%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	82.5%	89.3%	96.2%	92.7%	81.0%	88.6%	NA	36
Low birth-weight babies	7.9%	13.3%	15.4%	7.3%	9.5%	9.1%	NA	105
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	15.9	13.3	19.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	54%	63%	46%	44%	37%	43%	NA	14
Founded cases of abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	12.8	2.9	8.8	5.9	12.7	8.8	NA	93
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	128.0	127.7	0.0	127.4	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	85%	85%	94%	86%	100%	98%	NA	1
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	85%	68%	57%	72%	72%	78%	NA	16
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	3%	5%	2%	3%	2%	3%	NA	24
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	45.5	22.7	11.4	11.2	11.2	0.0	NA	1
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.0	0.0	9.1	12.6	NA	135
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.2	1.2	0.0	0.0	NA	1
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	2,052.8	867.1	4,046.2	2,023.1	NA	15
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	7	6	5	2	1	2	3	119
Children whose parents divorced	1.8%	2.1%	2.5%	2.2%	1.6%	NA	NA	88
Births out of wedlock	23.8%	9.3%	30.8%	21.8%	11.9%	13.6%	NA	6
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	11.80%	11.60%	9.20%	13.80%	9.30%	7.0%	NA	98
Average per capita income	$17,569	$18,625	$20,012	$20,425	$20,518	NA	NA	44
Fiscal stress level	NA	126.52	126.90	126.79	126.12	NA	NA	1
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	24%	26%	28%	27%	30%	31%	NA	54
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	20.6	29.4	31.3	36.1	32.2	27.3	17.6	16
Average daily school membership	775	780	832	864	877	870	NA	5
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	102.3	100.4	97.3	95.1	94.5	101.8	NA	134
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	155	155	155	112

BEDFORD CITY



Square miles: 6.84 Population per square mile: 941.70

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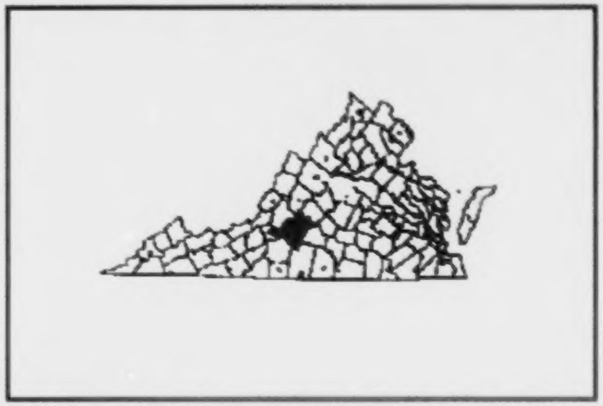
1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	73	1.13%	41	32	50	23	0	0	0
1 - 4 Years	319	4.95%	180	139	187	124	0	4	4
5 - 11 Years	519	8.05%	276	243	333	177	0	4	5
12 - 14 Years	215	3.34%	106	109	137	72	0	5	1
15 - 17 Years	198	3.07%	96	102	143	48	0	3	4
18 - 44 Years	2,134	33.11%	1,042	1,092	1,530	573	2	13	16
45 - 64 Years	1,325	20.56%	567	758	1,070	243	3	5	4
Over 65 Years	1,662	25.79%	732	930	1,454	198	2	0	8
Total	6,445	100.00%	3,040	3,405	4,904	1,458	7	34	42
Percent			47.17%	52.83%	76.09%	22.62%	0.11%	0.53%	0.65%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	69.3%	74.1%	78.9%	80.0%	85.1%	72.7%	NA	129
Low birth-weight babies	8.9%	9.4%	5.6%	7.3%	3.0%	6.1%	NA	34
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	17%	20%	34%	33%	31%	29%	NA	73
Founded cases of abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	9.2	9.2	9.2	6.8	14.4	15.9	NA	129
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	96.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	84%	81%	85%	81%	84%	80%	NA	80
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	72%	62%	68%	71%	72%	76%	NA	24
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	1%	NA	2
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.98	19.37	16.95	21.8	NA	122
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	90.9	40.0	20.0	29.4	39.2	68.6	NA	129
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.4	3.1	4.0	1.2	NA	25
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.1	2.1	0.8	1.0	NA	31
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	1,017.8	251.3	248.8	1,452.8	484.3	242.1	NA	83
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	5,727.0	9,009.0	11,013.5	NA	NA	NA
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	3	6	5	7	12	15	16	77
Children whose parents divorced	1.5%	1.5%	1.6%	1.8%	1.7%	NA	NA	103
Births out of wedlock	43.6%	47.1%	45.1%	40.0%	37.3%	47.0%	NA	117
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	5.10%	5.20%	3.10%	2.90%	3.00%	3.8%	NA	38
Average per capita income	$17,477	$17,857	$18,618	$19,192	$21,033	NA	NA	37
Fiscal stress level	NA	168.17	169.28	172.75	171.21	NA	NA	99
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	19%	21%	21%	24%	24%	24%	NA	32
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	327.2	384.5	426.1	432.8	440.3	402.6	121.6	126
Average daily school membership	8,247	8,643	8,878	9,208	9,320	9,976	NA	109
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	69.5	71.9	67.8	68.7	73.7	70.2	NA	38
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	115	415	447	68

BEDFORD COUNTY



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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	626	1.22%	334	292	562	53	0	2	9
1 - 4 Years	2,675	5.23%	1,370	1,305	2,432	227	1	7	8
5 - 11 Years	4,721	9.23%	2,386	2,335	4,251	427	10	12	21
12 - 14 Years	2,063	4.03%	1,096	967	1,845	205	1	8	4
15 - 17 Years	1,964	3.84%	1,003	961	1,740	202	3	7	12
18 - 44 Years	20,423	39.92%	10,191	10,232	18,487	1,785	25	47	79
45 - 64 Years	12,136	23.72%	6,153	5,983	11,183	883	17	28	25
Over 65 Years	6,555	12.81%	2,965	3,590	5,941	596	5	9	4
Total	51,163	100.00%	25,498	25,665	46,441	4,378	62	120	162
Percent			49.84%	50.16%	90.77%	8.56%	0.12%	0.23%	0.32%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	89.0%	88.6%	88.1%	87.4%	87.6%	88.7%	NA	35
Low birth-weight babies	5.5%	5.1%	7.4%	7.1%	7.3%	7.0%	NA	61
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	10.0	5.1	14.7	10.8	6.2	4.8	NA	66
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	17%	20%	34%	33%	31%	29%	NA	73
Founded cases of abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	2.8	3.8	4.8	3.2	5.6	5.9	NA	68
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	56.9	22.2	32.4	31.7	42.3	21.1	NA	70

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	84%	81%	85%	81%	84%	80%	NA	80
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	72%	62%	68%	71%	72%	76%	NA	24
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	3%	3%	2%	3%	2%	1%	NA	2
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.77	1.49	1.24	3.0	NA	49
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	11.3	14.4	18.4	18.7	26.0	17.7	NA	24
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.4	3.1	4.0	1.2	NA	25
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.1	21	0.8	1.0	NA	31
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	54.8	79.9	25.8	124.2	0.0	49.7	NA	38
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	5,727.0	9,009.0	11,013.5	3,451.7	NA	35
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	2	1	0	0	3	2	NA	113
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	55.5	54.3	0.0	50.9	152.7	101.8	NA	106
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	27	26	25	24	25	45	45	35
Children whose parents divorced	1.5%	1.5%	1.6%	1.8%	1.7%	NA	NA	103
Births out of wedlock	14.1%	16.6%	17.2%	18.7%	21.4%	19.2%	NA	17
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	5.50%	5.80%	4.00%	3.30%	3.10%	3.4%	NA	30
Average per capita income	$17,477	$17,857	$18,618	$19,192	$21,033	NA	NA	37
Fiscal stress level	NA	156.38	156.39	155.89	155.74	NA	NA	21
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	19%	21%	21%	24%	24%	24%	NA	32
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	38.0	43.7	47.3	47.6	48.4	44.2	27.1	30
Average daily school membership	8,247	8,643	8,878	9,208	9,320	9,976	NA	109
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	69.5	71.9	67.8	68.7	73.7	70.2	NA	38
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	803	818	777	52

BLAND

miles: 358.67 Population per square mile: 18.90

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	55	0.81%	27	28	55	0	0	0	0
1 - 4 Years	292	4.31%	161	131	289	3	0	0	0
5 - 11 Years	564	8.32%	291	273	560	1	0	0	3
12 - 14 Years	290	4.28%	153	137	285	2	0	0	3
15 - 17 Years	281	4.14%	157	124	275	3	0	2	1
18 - 44 Years	2,740	40.41%	1,592	1,148	2,554	169	3	3	11
45 - 64 Years	1,607	23.70%	835	772	1,562	39	0	3	3
Over 65 Years	951	14.03%	411	540	925	25	0	0	1
Total	6,780	100.00%	3,627	3,153	6,505	242	3	8	22
Percent			53.50%	46.50%	95.94%	3.57%	0.04%	0.12%	0.32%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	75.3%	78.9%	80.4%	75.0%	80.0%	77.8%	NA	112
Low birth-weight babies	10.4%	3.5%	12.5%	1.7%	5.0%	7.9%	NA	81
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	0.0	0.0	0.0	16.7	0.0	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	34%	22%	46%	49%	36%	37%	NA	33
Founded cases of abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	9.7	4.8	12.3	12.1	8.1	10.1	NA	105
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	88.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	81%	80%	78%	84%	73%	86%	NA	48
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	74%	72%	67%	69%	61%	66%	NA	68
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	2%	2%	3%	2%	2%	2%	NA	9
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.0	1.75	0.0	0.0	NA	1
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	8.4	33.1	0.0	48.4	16.1	16.1	NA	21
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.0	1.9	1.9	1.0	NA	18
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	6.9	1.0	1.0	7.0	NA	131
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	175.1	NA	65
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	3,052.1	875.7	1,751.3	0.0	NA	1
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	1	0	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	369.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	355.9	NA	131
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	2	4	3	6	4	4	6	104
Children whose parents divorced	1.2%	1.9%	1.4%	1.1%	0.9%	NA	NA	12
Births out of wedlock	20.8%	10.5%	16.1%	6.7%	16.7%	11.1%	NA	2
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	6.50%	6.60%	6.60%	7.80%	6.70%	6.9%	NA	97
Average per capita income	$12,379	$12,822	$13,035	$13,541	$13,682	NA	NA	134
Fiscal stress level	NA	165.45	164.97	165.88	164.75	NA	NA	65
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	27%	28%	26%	27%	29%	31%	NA	54
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	26.4	39.9	30.1	27.7	34.4	29.7	27.7	33
Average daily school membership	1,040	1,037	1,008	1,050	1,032	1,005	NA	8
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	79.9	79.6	83.0	82.4	79.9	81.8	NA	114
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	44	80	80	127

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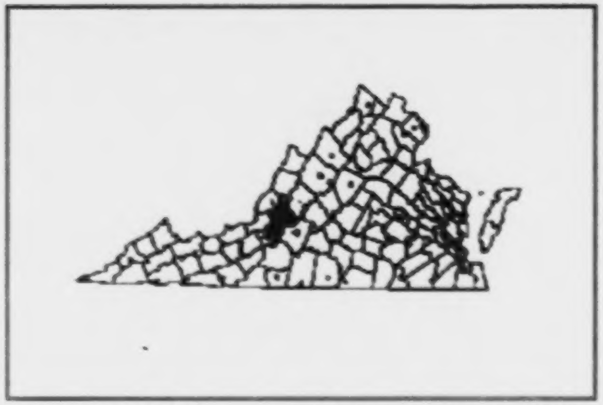

Square miles: 542.70   Population per square mile: 49.05

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	278	1.04%	149	129	271	5	0	0	2
1 - 4 Years	1,229	4.62%	615	614	1,172	38	1	8	10
5 - 11 Years	2,341	8.80%	1,196	1,145	2,236	82	3	4	16
12 - 14 Years	1,087	4.08%	534	553	1,015	52	0	10	10
15 - 17 Years	1,157	4.35%	584	573	1,081	68	0	5	3
18 - 44 Years	10,453	39.27%	5,400	5,053	9,748	605	6	35	59
45 - 64 Years	6,690	25.13%	3,366	3,324	6,426	225	5	10	24
Over 65 Years	3,382	12.71%	1,504	1,878	3,178	183	2	5	14
Total	26,617	100.00%	13,348	13,269	25,127	1,258	17	77	138
Percent			50.15%	49.85%	94.40%	4.73%	0.06%	0.29%	0.52%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	94.4%	92.5%	94.1%	97.7%	93.4%	92.7%	NA	11
Low birth-weight babies	6.0%	7.8%	5.6%	4.2%	7.3%	6.9%	NA	59
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	12.1	7.8	3.7	3.8	3.5	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	19%	21%	20%	29%	32%	37%	NA	33
Founded cases of abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	3.0	2.0	6.5	1.8	0.5	1.8	NA	9
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	22.0	0.0	21.5	85.9	42.9	NA	105

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	90%	90%	91%	89%	84%	90%	NA	27
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	70%	61%	73%	69%	66%	73%	NA	40
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	5%	3%	4%	4%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.83	3.57	2.67	2.7	NA	44
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	9.0	14.4	14.3	8.7	15.7	7.0	NA	3
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.3	6.8	3.2	4.2	NA	100
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.6	2.1	0.7	0.2	NA	11
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	44.6	44.6	267.4	NA	88
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	5,482.0	4,456.3	5,882.4	802.1	NA	4
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	1	0	1	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	88.7	0.0	86.4	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	1	4	5	7	4	4	13	85
Children whose parents divorced	1.7%	1.4%	1.7%	1.6%	1.8%	NA	NA	109
Births out of wedlock	11.7%	16.9%	16.3%	13.6%	20.1%	15.8%	NA	9
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	5.70%	5.80%	4.20%	3.20%	2.70%	2.6%	NA	10
Average per capita income	$16,320	$17,319	$18,037	$18,645	$19,630	NA	NA	57
Fiscal stress level	NA	158.99	158.43	158.49	157.25	NA	NA	27
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	14%	14%	15%	14%	13%	12%	NA	5
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	13.3	17.6	16.6	17.2	16.3	16.7	11.5	5
Average daily school membership	4,184	4,184	4,214	4,257	4,328	4,478	NA	78
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	69.7	68.6	70.5	71.6	73.0	73.2	NA	60
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	410	446	505	65

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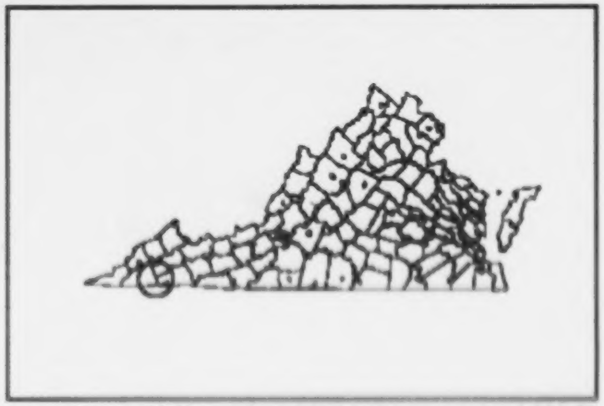

Square miles: 11.59   Population per square mile: 1,556.79

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	205	1.14%	106	99	187	15	1	1	1
1 - 4 Years	840	4.65%	405	435	752	70	1	8	9
5 - 11 Years	1,501	8.32%	773	728	1,373	113	0	9	6
12 - 14 Years	652	3.61%	335	317	584	60	0	7	1
15 - 17 Years	648	3.59%	348	300	595	50	0	2	1
18 - 44 Years	6,494	35.98%	3,040	3,454	5,941	464	7	54	28
45 - 64 Years	4,151	23.00%	1,846	2,305	3,962	175	2	6	6
Over 65 Years	3,560	19.72%	1,183	2,377	3,397	149	3	5	6
Total	18,051	100.01%	8,036	10,015	16,791	1,096	14	92	58
Percent			44.52%	55.48%	93.02%	6.07%	0.08%	0.51%	0.32%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	73.6%	69.0%	68.5%	71.8%	80.3%	74.8%	NA	122
Low birth-weight babies	8.3%	9.3%	7.4%	9.4%	6.9%	7.0%	NA	60
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	4.6	13.3	4.9	5.5	14.8	17.4	NA	121
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	21%	22%	25%	34%	35%	45%	NA	8
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	18.1	11.0	16.5	11.4	8.1	10.4	NA	110
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	65.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	33.4	133.6	NA	132

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	82%	86%	90%	84%	89%	91%	NA	25
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	64%	61%	69%	71%	68%	79%	NA	11
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	5%	2%	5%	6%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	6.97	6.92	1.54	6.9	NA	82
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	39.6	39.9	33.6	43.3	33.3	46.7	NA	112
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.8	1.2	0.4	1.6	NA	35
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.7	2.0	0.4	2.4	NA	72
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	77.3	309.8	769.2	692.3	384.6	NA	104
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	19,829.6	15,230.8	18,615.4	22,461.5	NA	125
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	1	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	154.3	154.3	NA	115
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	28	23	24	19	31	41	38	40
Children whose parents divorced	1.5%	1.3%	1.2%	1.1%	1.5%	NA	NA	79
Births out of wedlock	32.9%	31.4%	32.5%	24.9%	28.6%	27.4%	NA	59
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	7.00%	7.90%	6.40%	6.10%	5.10%	5.4%	NA	81
Average per capita income	$15,340	$16,086	$16,503	$17,232	$18,298	NA	NA	78
Fiscal stress level	NA	173.40	174.06	174.75	175.33	NA	NA	118
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	33%	36%	36%	35%	41%	38%	NA	84
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	108.9	107.4	105.4	105.6	94.6	87.4	83.7	105
Average daily school membership	2,697	2,613	2,582	2,490	2,506	2,514	NA	43
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	77.8	77.7	83.5	86.3	88.3	82.3	NA	120
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	893	894	881	45

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BRUNSWICK

Square miles: 566.17 Population per square mile: 28.64

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	197	1.21%	103	94	60	137	0	0	0
1 - 4 Years	805	4.96%	418	387	255	546	2	1	1
5 - 11 Years	1,506	9.29%	724	782	504	1,000	1	0	1
12 - 14 Years	689	4.25%	335	354	233	455	0	0	1
15 - 17 Years	694	4.28%	362	332	225	467	0	2	0
18 - 44 Years	6,599	40.69%	3,475	3,124	2,284	4,298	4	6	7
45 - 64 Years	3,368	20.77%	1,636	1,732	1,651	1,708	1	3	5
Over 65 Years	2,358	14.54%	978	1,380	1,213	1,140	1	0	4
Total	16,216	99.99%	8,031	8,185	6,425	9,751	9	12	19
Percent			49.53%	50.47%	39.62%	60.13%	0.06%	0.07%	0.12%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	65.7%	64.3%	61.9%	61.1%	59.6%	73.6%	NA	126
Low birth-weight babies	14.3%	9.5%	9.9%	12.4%	16.3%	9.6%	NA	112
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	19.0	4.8	5.5	5.4	22.5	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	19%	24%	20%	33%	22%	21%	NA	112
Founded cases of abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	15.0	14.1	6.1	11.1	8.2	14.4	NA	126
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	33.5	66.1	33.0	0.0	33.3	33.3	NA	93

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	58%	62%	66%	64%	69%	76%	NA	105
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	46%	35%	45%	40%	30%	44%	NA	124
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	5%	7%	4%	7%	6%	6%	NA	102
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	5.84	16.63	10.12	8.7	NA	88
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	50.6	49.4	58.1	63.3	30.1	51.2	NA	117
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.8	2.4	5.5	1.6	NA	34
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.1	4.0	2.7	1.2	NA	41
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	145.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	3,355.2	3,976.9	4,555.3	3,036.9	NA	29
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	1	0	0	1	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	150.2	0.0	146.0	144.1	144.1	432.3	NA	133
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	9	6	4	2	3	4	0	131
Children whose parents divorced	1.0%	1.6%	1.5%	1.0%	0.9%	NA	NA	13
Births out of wedlock	52.4%	51.9%	51.4%	55.1%	61.2%	58.4%	NA	133
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	13.40%	10.60%	7.80%	8.10%	6.90%	7.3%	NA	102
Average per capita income	$12,169	$12,229	$12,643	$13,574	$14,283	NA	NA	132
Fiscal stress level	NA	169.97	170.46	170.35	171.51	NA	NA	101
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	68%	72%	74%	74%	69%	68%	NA	132
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	105.1	121.8	125.9	126.2	124.6	106.4	94.8	112
Average daily school membership	2,628	2,637	2,601	2,481	2,550	2,546	NA	44
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	66	65.8	67.9	70.5	75.7	78.3	NA	91
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	238	203	203	101

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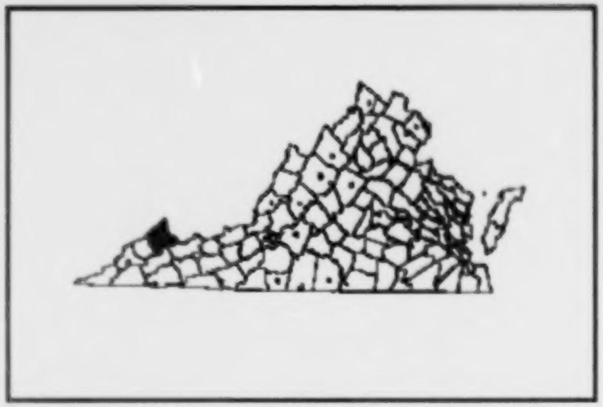

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	316	1.03%	155	161	316	0	0	0	0
1 - 4 Years	1,360	4.41%	683	677	1,346	2	1	5	6
5 - 11 Years	3,340	10.84%	1,733	1,607	3,232	32	2	9	65
12 - 14 Years	1,753	5.69%	922	831	1,690	24	1	10	28
15 - 17 Years	1,680	5.45%	857	823	1,618	18	0	6	38
18 - 44 Years	12,829	41.62%	6,382	6,447	12,729	5	12	19	64
45 - 64 Years	6,711	21.77%	3,367	3,344	6,668	0	9	6	28
Over 65 Years	2,835	9.20%	1,169	1,666	2,815	1	6	0	13
Total	30,824	100.01%	15,268	15,556	30,414	82	31	55	242
Percent			49.53%	50.47%	98.67%	0.27%	0.10%	0.18%	0.79%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	69.8%	72.0%	79.1%	77.5%	76.1%	84.7%	NA	71
Low birth-weight babies	8.1%	7.2%	7.8%	8.8%	7.8%	9.4%	NA	111
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	5.6	12.0	2.9	6.5	6.8	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	47%	23%	25%	31%	30%	31%	NA	56
Founded cases of abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	9.0	8.6	6.8	4.1	12.4	12.1	NA	120
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	30.1	30.2	15.3	31.0	31.0	15.5	NA	61

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	80%	82%	84%	82%	78%	77%	NA	96
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	62%	57%	54%	59%	49%	52%	NA	115
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	6%	3%	4%	5%	5%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.33	1.17	2.62	0.6	NA	21
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	27.2	25.1	32.8	24.3	23.1	19.4	NA	29
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.1	0.0	4.5	2.1	NA	45
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.0	0.0	0.4	1.2	NA	39
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	28.9	145.6	145.6	203.9	58.3	NA	42
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	4,657.9	3,728.5	2,650.7	553.5	NA	2
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	4	1	1	0	3	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	116.3	58.6	59.5	0.0	119.0	59.5	NA	92
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	37	28	34	33	35	43	53	33
Children whose parents divorced	0.9%	1.2%	0.9%	1.3%	1.1%	NA	NA	38
Births out of wedlock	19.8%	24.7%	22.7%	23.1%	23.9%	30.7	NA	74
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	15.20%	16.40%	14.90%	18.30%	13.50%	15.1%	NA	134
Average per capita income	$14,833	$15,367	$15,181	$15,977	$15,148	NA	NA	125
Fiscal stress level	NA	175.31	173.89	173.82	175.35	NA	NA	119
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	52%	51%	52%	59%	57%	59%	NA	125
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	92.2	103.9	110.9	116.8	116.1	107.5	99.9	114
Average daily school membership	6,362	6,141	5,871	5,675	5,382	5,190	NA	86
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	71.8	75.4	76.0	81.0	89.4	96.9	NA	133
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	180	180	180	106

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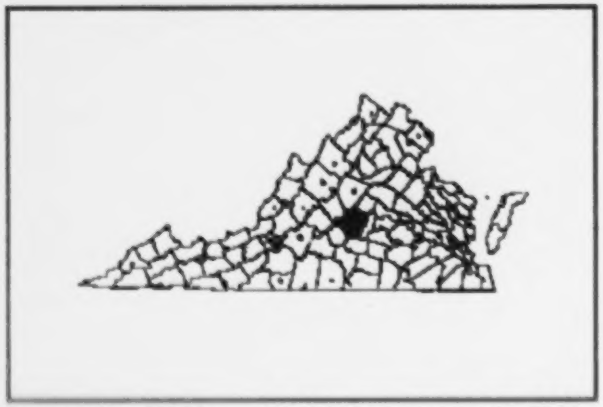

Square miles: 580.89   Population per square mile: 22.56

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	170	1.30%	88	82	76	93	0	1	0
1 - 4 Years	714	5.45%	350	364	387	321	0	2	4
5 - 11 Years	1,149	8.77%	576	573	630	514	0	3	2
12 - 14 Years	509	3.88%	271	238	275	231	0	3	0
15 - 17 Years	546	4.17%	288	258	287	252	3	2	2
18 - 44 Years	5,319	40.58%	3,003	2,316	2,750	2,545	7	13	4
45 - 64 Years	2,739	20.90%	1,389	1,350	1,778	951	7	1	2
Over 65 Years	1,961	14.96%	868	1,093	1,267	690	1	2	1
Total	13,107	100.01%	6,833	6,274	7,450	5,597	18	27	15
Percent			52.13%	47.87%	56.84%	42.70%	0.14%	0.21%	0.11%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	67.2%	76.6%	83.9%	82.1%	82.8%	85.4%	NA	62
Low birth-weight babies	8.0%	9.2%	10.6%	12.7%	9.0%	8.9%	NA	104
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	17.2	5.4	0.0	7.5	0.0	19.0	NA	125
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	21%	32%	13%	45%	54%	49%	NA	6
Founded cases of abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	6.1	3.2	10.0	3.2	5.8	4.2	NA	44
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	42.1	84.1	0.0	42.2	0.0	84.3	NA	123

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	64%	67%	66%	68%	72%	57%	NA	135
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	65%	61%	53%	47%	58%	46%	NA	122
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	6%	5%	6%	5%	6%	6%	NA	102
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.84	13.27	12.32	9.5	NA	90
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	40.0	31.7	19.6	11.6	15.5	38.8	NA	95
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.9	4.3	1.9	6.8	NA	128
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.9	3.4	5.1	12.7	NA	134
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	97.2	383.5	94.8	189.6	189.6	NA	72
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	2,780.4	7,393.4	5,118.5	7,014.2	NA	78
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	1	1	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	185.9	0.0	0.0	183.2	NA	121
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	3	2	2	4	2	4	2	124
Children whose parents divorced	0.4%	1.0%	1.0%	1.2%	1.6%	NA	NA	90
Births out of wedlock	43.1%	44.6%	46.6%	43.3%	39.6%	41.8%	NA	106
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	7.90%	7.30%	5.60%	4.70%	5.00%	5.0%	NA	69
Average per capita income	$13,170	$13,979	$14,862	$15,940	$14,544	NA	NA	129
Fiscal stress level	NA	167.36	167.02	166.88	166.88	NA	NA	81
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	48%	48%	49%	49%	50%	53%	NA	118
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	109.3	130.4	129.6	128.6	119.8	94.6	78.0	101
Average daily school membership	2,031	2,044	2,063	2,075	2,144	2,208	NA	36
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	70.6	68.3	68.1	65.4	83.3	80.7	NA	108
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	65	65	104	123

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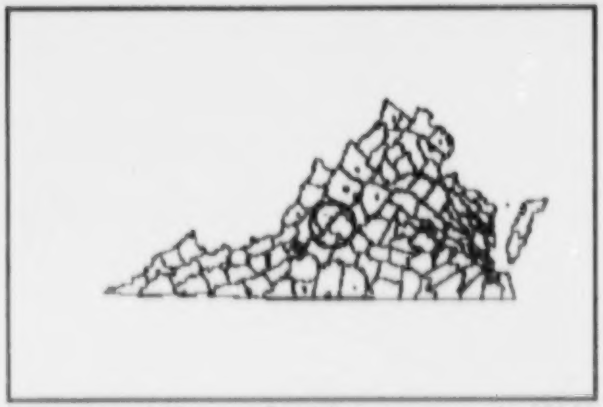

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	66	1.00%	28	38	63	3	0	0	0
1 - 4 Years	267	4.06%	151	116	253	13	0	1	0
5 - 11 Years	547	8.31%	266	281	506	38	0	3	0
12 - 14 Years	255	3.87%	131	124	240	15	0	0	0
15 - 17 Years	281	4.27%	150	131	265	10	2	3	1
18 - 44 Years	2,513	38.19%	1,118	1,395	2,369	124	1	14	5
45 - 64 Years	1,530	23.25%	711	819	1,476	50	2	1	1
Over 65 Years	1,122	17.05%	444	678	1,088	33	0	0	1
Total	6,581	100.00%	2,999	3,582	6,260	286	5	22	8
Percent			45.57%	54.43%	95.12%	4.35%	0.08%	0.33%	0.12%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	65.6%	79.5%	82.4%	82.1%	77.0%	78.5%	NA	108
Low birth-weight babies	1.1%	5.7%	10.6%	5.3%	2.7%	3.1%	NA	1
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	11.1	0.0	11.8	10.5	0.0	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	23%	24%	30%	30%	33%	43%	NA	14
Founded cases of abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	7.8	4.2	1.4	7.1	8.5	5.6	NA	66
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	93.5	NA	126

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	72%	79%	61%	65%	68%	74%	NA	112
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	72%	73%	76%	70%	73%	76%	NA	24
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	5%	4%	2%	6%	4%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	7.56	14.93	9.33	3.7	NA	60
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	46.5	31.0	23.3	22.9	38.2	30.5	NA	70
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.0	7.6	0.0	0.0	NA	1
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.0	1.9	0.9	1.0	NA	28
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	186.6	0.0	0.0	NA	1
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	6,994.3	9,328.4	5,783.6	2,425.4	NA	22
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	4	6	7	5	7	5	10	92
Children whose parents divorced	2.2%	2.1%	2.3%	1.5%	2.1%	NA	NA	125
Births out of wedlock	28.9%	34.1%	34.1%	38.9%	31.1%	40.0%	NA	101
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	10.80%	11.50%	12.20%	5.90%	5.60%	5.8%	NA	87
Average per capita income	$14,695	$15,146	$15,442	$16,216	$17,495	NA	NA	94
Fiscal stress level	NA	177.25	177.03	177.41	177.58	NA	NA	124
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	26%	31%	31%	34%	33%	35%	NA	70
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	82.8	84.1	70.1	77.7	74.2	68.5	50.1	70
Average daily school membership	1,109	1,071	1,063	1,059	1,074	1,051	NA	11
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	76.4	75.6	79	79.2	74.6	79.8	NA	99
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	84	122	122	120

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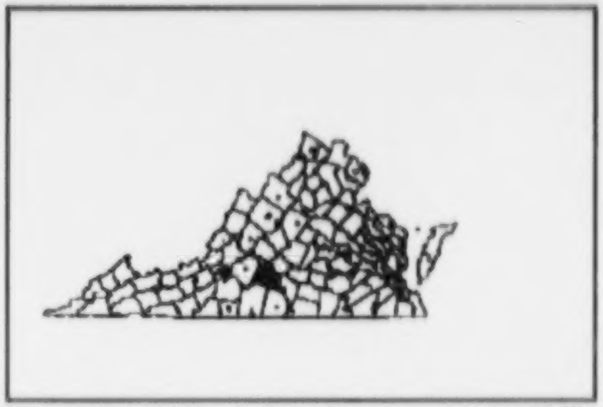

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	652	1.34%	335	317	551	92	1	1	7
1 - 4 Years	2,572	5.27%	1,348	1,224	2,044	486	2	14	26
5 - 11 Years	4,438	9.09%	2,324	2,114	3,584	809	3	24	18
12 - 14 Years	2,061	4.22%	1,070	991	1,644	395	1	16	5
15 - 17 Years	2,129	4.36%	1,095	1,034	1,676	431	2	8	12
18 - 44 Years	19,748	40.46%	9,759	9,989	16,356	3,205	24	76	87
45 - 64 Years	11,319	23.19%	5,555	5,764	9,897	1,343	13	29	37
Over 65 Years	5,889	12.07%	2,566	3,323	5,048	828	2	2	9
Total	48,808	100.00%	24,052	24,756	40,800	7,589	48	170	201
Percent			49.28%	50.72%	83.59%	15.55%	0.10%	0.35%	0.41%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	89.6%	86.2%	87.3%	92.6%	87.9%	89.5%	NA	29
Low birth-weight babies	4.7%	5.4%	6.0%	7.2%	5.9%	6.7%	NA	49
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	4.9	4.9	12.3	9.4	15.1	1.6	NA	44
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	29%	33%	27%	31%	21%	22%	NA	106
Founded cases of abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	5.9	5.4	6.1	3.6	3.2	4.6	NA	50
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	55.6	22.0	33.0	33.1	44.1	0.0	NA	1

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	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	84%	90%	89%	89%	88%	88%	NA	36
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	65%	66%	71%	74%	68%	69%	NA	55
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	4%	4%	3%	4%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.38	1.91	3.82	3.1	NA	51
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	28.7	19.6	21.6	18.4	31.9	30.9	NA	71
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.3	2.4	2.9	5.5	NA	120
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.7	6.0	3.5	1.9	NA	63
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	123.2	242.9	314.2	95.5	23.9	167.1	NA	64
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	4,543.3	4,844.9	6,706.4	1,503.6	NA	12
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	1	2	0	1	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	47.6	0.0	47.0	0.0	47.0	NA	87
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	39	26	31	40	35	44	49	34
Children whose parents divorced	1.6%	1.6%	1.9%	1.7%	1.8%	NA	NA	118
Births out of wedlock	24.8%	24.2%	31.5%	27.2%	28.7%	31.7%	NA	77
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	6.00%	7.00%	4.30%	4.30%	4.00%	3.9%	NA	43
Average per capita income	$17,184	$17,678	$18,619	$19,494	$20,847	NA	NA	42
Fiscal stress level	NA	162.59	163.00	163.31	163.65	NA	NA	54
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	20%	23%	25%	25%	26%	27%	NA	43
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	53.0	58.3	57.7	54.9	47.4	45.2	41.7	59
Average daily school membership	8,157	8,228	8,235	8,270	8,187	8,380	NA	102
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	64.2	58.9	66.3	66.6	68.7	69.2	NA	32
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	1,246	1,315	1,366	36

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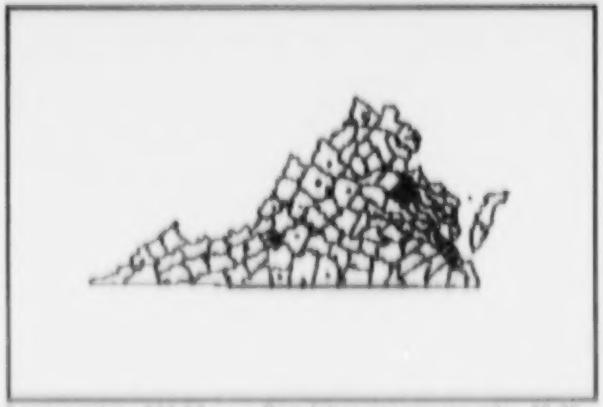
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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	304	1.47%	158	146	184	119	0	1	0
1 - 4 Years	1,221	5.92%	624	597	750	451	7	3	10
5 - 11 Years	2,094	10.16%	1,083	1,011	1,218	849	15	4	8
12 - 14 Years	898	4.36%	475	423	483	399	12	4	0
15 - 17 Years	853	4.14%	426	427	445	391	9	4	4
18 - 44 Years	8,259	40.21%	4,149	4,140	4,834	3,324	72	22	37
45 - 64 Years	4,430	21.49%	2,203	2,227	2,638	1,722	44	11	15
Over 65 Years	2,526	12.25%	1,090	1,436	1,513	948	59	0	6
Total	20,615	100.00%	10,208	10,407	12,065	8,203	218	49	80
Percent			49.52%	50.48%	58.53%	39.79%	1.06%	0.24%	0.39%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	79.1%	82.5%	84.8%	81.7%	84.9%	89.8%	NA	28
Low birth-weight babies	7.0%	10.5%	5.4%	7.0%	7.4%	6.7%	NA	50
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	6.3	22.2	10.8	6.7	23.5	3.5	NA	56
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	29%	17%	21%	17%	17%	34%	NA	47
Founded cases of abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	5.0	6.8	5.2	4.3	4.1	6.1	NA	72
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	24.5	48.3	95.2	94.9	0.0	23.7	NA	76

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	73%	85%	72%	76%	76%	75%	NA	110
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	65%	55%	48%	57%	46%	53%	NA	111
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	3%	3%	2%	6%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.91	5.14	14.85	9.1	NA	89
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	20.0	41.7	24.0	51.5	32.8	21.1	NA	37
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	5.4	2.4	4.2	2.5	NA	54
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.2	2.1	3.4	1.1	NA	36
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	183.3	179.0	233.0	228.4	342.7	742.4	NA	123
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	3,086.8	4,397.5	5,825.2	7,538.5	NA	82
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	2	0	2	2	0	3	NA	113
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	248.8	0.0	120.0	234.5	0.0	117.2	NA	109
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	23	19	19	15	11	18	14	82
Children whose parents divorced	1.2%	1.7%	1.1%	1.3%	1.1%	NA	NA	39
Births out of wedlock	36.1%	41.9%	33.6%	40.0%	34.9%	34.3%	NA	84
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	10.90%	11.90%	8.80%	7.20%	7.50%	8.2%	NA	112
Average per capita income	$14,561	$15,163	$15,797	$16,758	$17,221	NA	NA	99
Fiscal stress level	NA	164.45	164.88	162.89	163.78	NA	NA	56
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	31%	34%	35%	38%	35%	36%	NA	77
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	75.1	82.3	76.0	80.4	73.0	72.1	58.7	85
Average daily school membership	3,485	3,481	3,491	3,292	3,543	3,652	NA	67
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	69.4	67.8	70.1	77.9	72.7	75.5	NA	75
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	354	412	377	74

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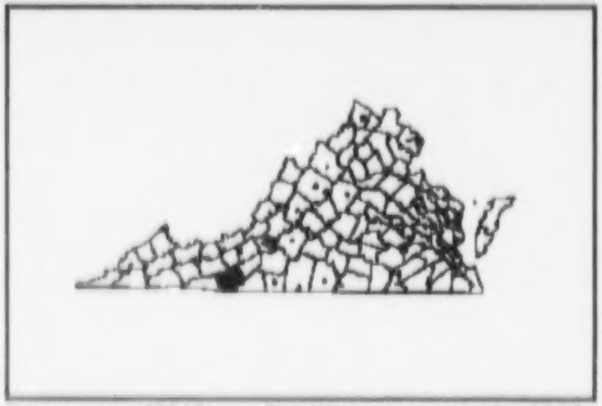

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Data are combined for Carroll County, Galax City, and Grayson County for children whose parents divorced

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	295	1.08%	155	140	287	2	0	0	6
1 - 4 Years	1,182	4.31%	611	571	1,153	5	1	4	19
5 - 11 Years	2,229	8.13%	1,159	1,070	2,189	13	3	2	22
12 - 14 Years	1,090	3.97%	599	491	1,080	4	1	1	4
15 - 17 Years	1,180	4.30%	631	549	1,167	4	1	2	6
18 - 44 Years	9,996	36.44%	5,077	4,919	9,863	41	10	12	70
45 - 64 Years	6,819	24.86%	3,317	3,502	6,763	21	10	3	22
Over 65 Years	4,642	16.92%	1,959	2,683	4,609	19	3	5	6
Total	27,433	100.01%	13,508	13,925	27,111	109	29	29	155
Percent			49.24%	50.76%	98.83%	0.40%	0.11%	0.11%	0.57%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	86.5%	85.0%	80.2%	84.2%	86.0%	86.3%	NA	55
Low birth-weight babies	6.4%	4.3%	4.5%	4.8%	8.8%	6.7%	NA	48
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	3.5	7.9	8.2	6.5	3.3	3.5	NA	55
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	21%	35%	29%	35%	27%	44%	NA	10
Founded cases of abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	5.2	3.9	4.2	5.2	4.0	6.2	NA	73
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	45.0	44.5	0.0	22.2	66.7	0.0	NA	1

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	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	80%	80%	75%	74%	78%	79%	NA	85
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	63%	55%	59%	61%	52%	63%	NA	78
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	6%	4%	6%	4%	2%	2%	NA	9
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.67	4.41	0.88	0.0	NA	1
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	33.2	29.4	35.0	43.7	36.4	25.5	NA	53
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.0	3.3	6.7	6.6	NA	126
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.5	1.8	4.6	2.8	NA	85
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	45.4	0.0	0.0	88.1	44.1	0.0	NA	1
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	3,565.1	1,982.4	5,154.2	2,775.3	NA	25
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	1	0	0	1	1	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	86.1	0.0	85.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	23	33	30	35	32	27	31	49
Children whose parents divorced	1.5%	1.5%	1.4%	1.6%	1.7%	NA	NA	106
Births out of wedlock	14.9%	22.0%	26.7%	18.4%	19.5%	19.7%	NA	20
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	9.40%	8.40%	5.80%	4.60%	4.80%	6.0%	NA	90
Average per capita income	$12,991	$13,811	$14,187	$14,972	$15,905	NA	NA	115
Fiscal stress level	NA	167.67	166.94	165.87	165.63	NA	NA	74
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	29%	34%	34%	35%	35%	37%	NA	82
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	56.1	58.1	59.2	64.3	61.2	54.9	51.2	73
Average daily school membership	4,077	4,058	4,039	3,918	3,909	3,969	NA	55
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	67.8	69.0	72.4	72.9	73.2	72.4	NA	50
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	286	370	412	71

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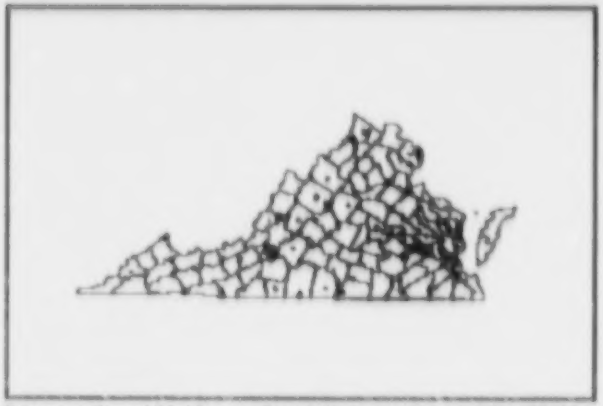

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	81	1.22%	48	33	34	45	2	0	0
1 - 4 Years	321	4.82%	154	167	103	199	13	2	4
5 - 11 Years	664	9.98%	322	342	150	468	43	0	3
12 - 14 Years	255	3.83%	122	133	38	202	14	1	0
15 - 17 Years	264	3.97%	127	137	57	190	15	2	0
18 - 44 Years	2,749	41.32%	1,353	1,396	746	1,773	221	3	6
45 - 64 Years	1,587	23.85%	774	813	465	975	143	3	1
Over 65 Years	732	11.00%	339	393	200	467	64	1	0
Total	6,653	99.99%	3,239	3,414	1,793	4,319	515	12	14
Percent			48.68%	51.32%	26.95%	64.92%	7.74%	0.18%	0.21%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	72.4%	88.0%	88.0%	89.9%	86.8%	85.0%	NA	66
Low birth-weight babies	10.5%	9.8%	10.7%	15.2%	10.5%	7.5%	NA	74
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	13.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	32%	17%	23%	17%	25%	20%	NA	115
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	3.3	3.9	5.1	1.9	3.2	2.5	NA	18
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	83.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	63%	68%	50%	57%	64%	64%	NA	132
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	56%	39%	43%	48%	24%	30%	NA	135
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	8%	2%	9%	4%	3%	5%	NA	81
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.00	63.58	34.68	28.9	NA	130
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	32.0	31.3	37.6	14.6	21.9	36.5	NA	88
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.9	2.9	0.0	2.9	NA	69
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	5.7	8.6	1.9	1.0	NA	29
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	192.7	0.0	0.0	NA	1
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	2,952.8	5,973.0	5,395.0	2,890.2	NA	28
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	2	1	1	0	3	3	2	124
Children whose parents divorced	0.9%	0.7%	1.0%	1.1%	1.0%	NA	NA	23
Births out of wedlock	43.4%	38.0%	41.3%	41.8%	38.2%	41.3%	NA	105
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	8.80%	10.00%	8.10%	6.50%	5.90%	4.9%	NA	67
Average per capita income	$15,035	$15,844	$16,003	$16,750	$17,620	NA	NA	89
Fiscal stress level	NA	181.91	182.35	177.38	171.58	NA	NA	102
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	44%	43%	43%	43%	43%	44%	NA	96
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	108.3	111.6	104.3	100.9	84.5	61.8	44.2	63
Average daily school membership	1,030	1,033	1,053	1,041	1,065	1,029	NA	9
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	79.1	76	75.5	85	83.3	89.2	NA	130
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	0	50	50	130

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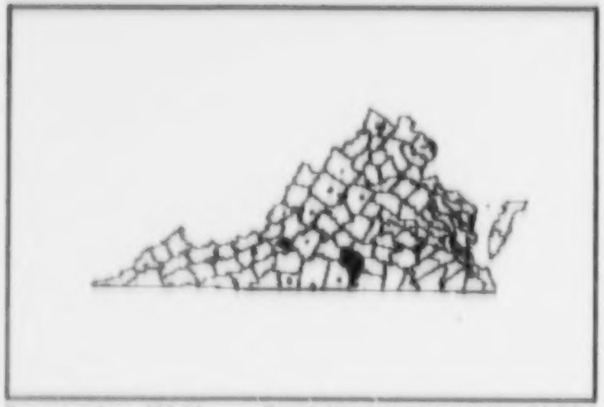

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	140	1.15%	67	73	72	68	0	0	0
1 - 4 Years	653	5.38%	316	337	364	289	0	0	0
5 - 11 Years	1,091	8.99%	554	537	587	498	3	0	3
12 - 14 Years	547	4.51%	294	253	282	262	3	0	0
15 - 17 Years	580	4.78%	303	277	298	282	0	0	0
18 - 44 Years	4,176	34.42%	2,073	2,103	2,446	1,710	6	2	12
45 - 64 Years	2,801	23.08%	1,330	1,471	1,910	879	6	2	4
Over 65 Years	2,146	17.69%	975	1,171	1,499	639	2	0	6
Total	12,134	100.00%	5,912	6,222	7,458	4,627	20	4	25
Percent			48.72%	51.28%	61.46%	38.13%	0.16%	0.03%	0.21%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	73.3%	75.3%	66.9%	80.7%	72.8%	80.0%	NA	99
Low birth-weight babies	7.0%	12.4%	10.6%	10.2%	9.6%	5.7%	NA	23
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	5.8	11.2	26.5	0.0	8.0	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	27%	29%	32%	22%	37%	39%	NA	24
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	1.7	1.3	6.7	7.3	5.0	10.3	NA	108
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	88.0	0.0	87.3	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	93%	91%	95%	90%	88%	94%	NA	8
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	69%	50%	62%	67%	65%	74%	NA	37
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	5%	5%	7%	4%	4%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	9.10	17.75	9.76	6.2	NA	74
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	30.4	74.9	29.7	21.7	28.9	21.7	NA	42
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.9	2.9	1.9	4.1	NA	98
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.9	2.4	3.3	4.1	NA	114
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	2,820.7	5,945.0	6,566.1	5,501.3	NA	59
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	1	1	2	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	180.2	0.0	177.0	172.4	172.4	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	8	9	12	20	26	21	14	82
Children whose parents divorced	1.3%	1.2%	1.2%	1.1%	1.4%	NA	NA	67
Births out of wedlock	32.6%	42.1%	43.0%	41.0%	45.6%	39.3%	NA	97
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	7.20%	11.00%	9.00%	6.20%	7.30%	8.8%	NA	116
Average per capita income	$12,660	$13,754	$13,954	$14,601	$15,855	NA	NA	118
Fiscal stress level	NA	169.30	169.19	168.51	169.78	NA	NA	94
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	46%	48%	51%	51%	49%	49%	NA	108
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	75.0	78.9	80.8	83.0	65.1	52.5	46.8	66
Average daily school membership	2,031	2,017	2,038	2,082	2,121	2,183	NA	34
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	65.7	63.3	67.4	66.6	66.9	64.4	NA	3
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	136	44	44	132

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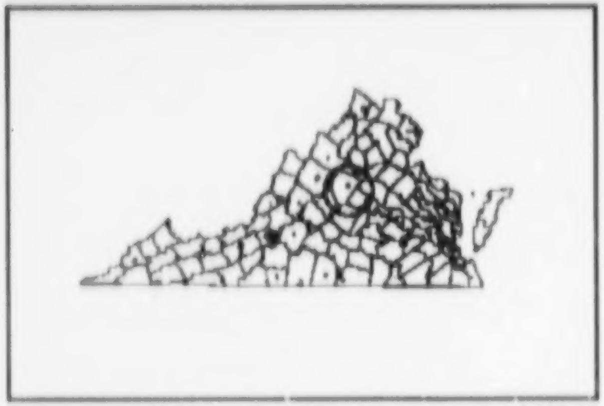

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	518	1.26%	254	264	326	181	0	2	9
1 - 4 Years	2,021	4.91%	1,019	1,002	1,261	689	0	33	38
5 - 11 Years	2,971	7.22%	1,512	1,459	1,749	1,153	5	28	36
12 - 14 Years	1,122	2.73%	568	554	647	454	1	14	6
15 - 17 Years	979	2.38%	492	487	584	357	2	22	14
18 - 44 Years	21,761	52.91%	10,650	11,111	16,305	4,277	26	869	284
45 - 64 Years	6,386	15.53%	2,824	3,562	4,805	1,439	3	100	39
Over 65 Years	5,367	13.05%	1,886	3,481	4,412	891	3	40	21
Total	41,125	99.99%	19,205	21,920	30,089	9,441	40	1,108	447
Percent			46.70%	53.30%	73.16%	22.96%	0.10%	2.69%	1.09%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	72.0%	79.2%	81.6%	80.1%	83.1%	82.0%	NA	88
Low birth-weight babies	6.2%	7.6%	7.6%	5.8%	10.5%	8.7%	NA	100
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	7.1	16.3	3.9	5.8	16.5	12.1%	NA	106
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	29%	25%	21%	25%	28%	28%	NA	82
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	10.1	8.7	16.1	11.2	11.4	12.0	NA	117
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	16.7	0.0	48.9	16.4	49.1	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	82%	72%	69%	64%	68%	70%	NA	125
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	58%	53%	50%	45%	43%	44%	NA	124
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	3%	2%	3%	5%	5%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	64.70	66.16	29.51	24.3	NA	128
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	60.3	85.3	71.0	80.1	61.6	47.2	NA	113
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.6	2.4	2.7	1.4	NA	30
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.9	7.5	6.5	5.5	NA	128
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	956.2	789.7	1,641.7	1,047.1	666.3	904.3	NA	126
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	15,306.6	14,374.1	11,375.5	11,137.6	NA	100
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	3	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	106.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	306.4	0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	67	84	103	101	90	93	97	21
Children whose parents divorced	1.5%	1.8%	1.8%	1.6%	1.4%	NA	NA	69
Births out of wedlock	44.6%	43.7%	47.1%	42.9%	39.6%	45.5%	NA	114
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	4.60%	4.90%	3.20%	3.20%	2.60%	2.9%	NA	17
Average per capita income	$20,998	$22,465	$23,973	$24,837	$26,357	NA	NA	14
Fiscal stress level	NA	175.66	175.42	176.39	176.68	NA	NA	123
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	33%	38%	43%	47%	50%	51%	NA	114
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	153.5	176.0	191.2	201.3	196.3	165.0	132.6	129
Average daily school membership	4,441	4,489	4,501	4,508	4,442	4,400	NA	77
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	96.0	79.1	79.2	91.1	82.4	87.7	NA	127
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	3,047	3,360	3,849	15

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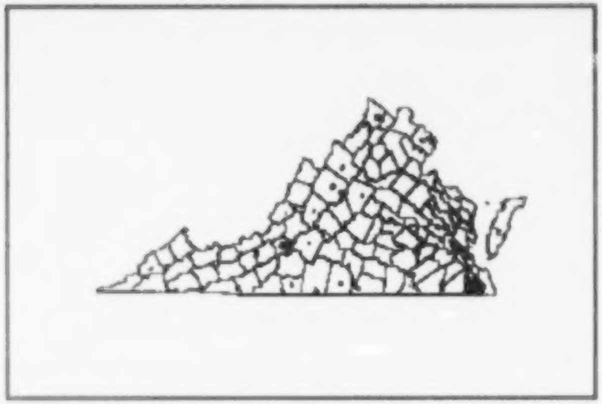

Data available for Chesapeake City for FY 93 and FY 94 for total intake cases involving delinquency were not comparable and are not reported.

Square miles: 454.61 Population per square mile: 71.19

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	2,797	1.55%	1,416	1,381	1,820	881	5	40	51
1 - 4 Years	12,024	6.66%	6,078	5,946	7,718	3,916	21	188	181
5 - 11 Years	20,671	11.45%	10,440	10,231	13,133	6,915	46	279	298
12 - 14 Years	8,668	4.80%	4,464	4,204	5,449	2,948	30	137	104
15 - 17 Years	7,680	4.25%	3,879	3,801	4,730	2,696	19	154	81
18 - 44 Years	79,159	43.84%	39,142	40,017	53,950	22,703	310	1,209	987
45 - 64 Years	33,836	18.74%	16,501	17,335	24,498	8,391	107	570	270
Over 65 Years	15,744	8.72%	6,339	9,405	11,484	4,007	26	119	108
Total	180,579	100.01%	88,259	92,320	122,782	52,457	564	2,696	2,080
Percent			48.88%	51.12%	67.99%	29.05%	0.31%	1.49%	1.15%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	81.5%	83.3%	85.4%	85.8%	86.5%	88.9%	NA	34
Low birth-weight babies	8.2%	7.1%	7.9%	8.2%	7.0%	6.8%	NA	57
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	11.4	9.7	8.3	8.3	9.1	7.4	NA	82
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	22%	23%	23%	27%	26%	26%	NA	87
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	10.8	10.7	9.6	7.6	6.7	4.4	NA	48
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	16.4	26.2	15.0	24.2	16.9	19.3	NA	68

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	80%	82%	83%	83%	80%	86%	NA	48
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	67%	60%	63%	68%	62%	69%	NA	55
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	5%	5%	6%	5%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	10.12	9.73	6.36	5.5	NA	70
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	35.1	37.0	35.6	30.0	35.5	28.2	NA	65
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.7	1.2	2.2	1.7	NA	40
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.8	1.6	1.9	1.0	NA	34
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	457.1	495.3	348.2	256.9	360.9	318.1	NA	96
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	NA	NA	9,450.7	10,949.4	NA	98
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	2	3	2	2	4	3	NA	126
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	45.2	43.2	27.5	26.0	52.1	78.1	NA	99
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	151	151	158	174	187	164	176	10
Children whose parents divorced	1.4%	1.2%	1.4%	1.3%	1.0%	NA	NA	29
Births out of wedlock	29.1%	28.1%	27.3%	28.0%	27.0%	26.7%	NA	55
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	5.50%	5.70%	4.50%	5.10%	4.10%	3.9%	NA	43
Average per capita income	$17,468	$17,919	$18,198	$18,647	$19,874	NA	NA	54
Fiscal stress level	NA	167.26	166.86	165.94	166.32	NA	NA	77
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	23%	24%	24%	25%	26%	26%	NA	38
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	76.0	83.0	83.6	81.0	78.4	70.8	57.4	82
Average daily school membership	29,396	30,191	31,603	32,939	33,965	34,886	NA	128
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	62.9	63.8	67.1	63.6	64.2	65.1	NA	7
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	5,365	5,737	5,954	10

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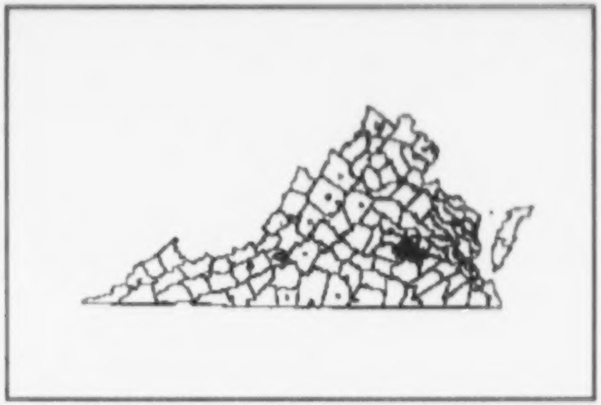

Square miles: 425.71 Population per square mile: 549.89

Data for Chesterfield County were not reported in 1992 for middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests.

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	3,376	1.44%	1,721	1,655	2,702	547	3	75	49
1 - 4 Years	15,222	6.50%	7,859	7,363	12,215	2,402	17	381	207
5 - 11 Years	27,438	11.72%	13,992	13,446	22,000	4,238	44	701	455
12 - 14 Years	11,330	4.84%	5,738	5,592	8,999	1,804	31	344	152
15 - 17 Years	10,728	4.58%	5,418	5,310	8,323	1,999	23	244	139
18 - 44 Years	105,857	45.22%	50,936	54,921	85,335	16,592	314	2,199	1,417
45 - 64 Years	45,313	19.36%	22,701	22,612	40,113	3,732	124	943	401
Over 65 Years	14,830	6.34%	6,222	8,608	13,190	1,366	23	149	102
Total	234,094	100.00%	114,587	119,507	192,877	32,680	579	5,036	2,922
Percent			48.95%	51.05%	82.39%	13.96%	0.25%	2.15%	1.25%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	92.4%	90.9%	91.2%	91.1%	91.5%	91.2%	NA	17
Low birth-weight babies	5.8%	7.6%	6.6%	7.0%	6.2%	8.3%	NA	87
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	4.6	10.9	3.0	7.2	3.7	7.3	NA	81
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	18%	NA	22%	21%	21%	20%	NA	115
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	2.3	2.7	3.0	3.1	3.6	5.5	NA	62
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	23.7	24.9	18.8	25.9	29.6	13.0	NA	56

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	93%	93%	93%	94%	92%	92%	NA	17
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	84%	76%	80%	79%	72%	74%	NA	37
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	4%	4%	5%	5%	5%	NA	81
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.24	4.08	3.40	1.9	NA	38
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	14.2	15.1	15.6	18.6	18.6	13.7	NA	15
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.6	1.5	1.6	3.4	NA	83
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.7	1.4	1.3	1.7	NA	59
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	183.3	244.3	378.6	244.8	353.6	276.5	NA	90
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	11,372.3	14,008.5	15,695.0	16,919.0	NA	116
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	2	3	2	7	5	7	NA	135
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	40.3	9.8	38.5	37.3	55.9	55.9	NA	91
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	111	103	95	102	96	132	132	16
Children whose parents divorced	1.2%	1.4%	1.5%	1.4%	1.5%	NA	NA	81
Births out of wedlock	18.2%	18.4%	19.0%	22.0%	23.1%	21.5	NA	28
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	4.40%	5.10%	4.10%	3.80%	3.10%	3.0%	NA	21
Average per capita income	$21,645	$22,054	$23,073	$24,261	$25,641	NA	NA	16
Fiscal stress level	NA	153.18	153.45	153.19	153.31	NA	NA	13
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	8%	10%	14%	15%	14%	16%	NA	9
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	22.2	29.3	33.1	34.5	35.1	32.1	27.3	31
Average daily school membership	44,226	45,456	46,863	47,639	47,923	48,972	NA	132
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	66.2	63.6	64.8	66.5	68.0	67.7	NA	18
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	9,070	9,226	9,505	6

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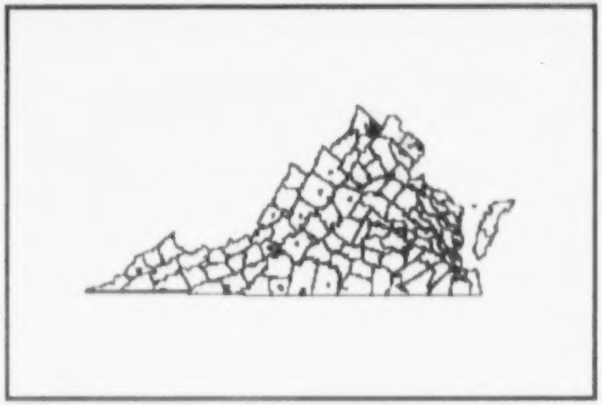

Square miles: 176.63 Population per square mile: 69.08

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	150	1.23%	78	72	142	8	0	0	0
1 - 4 Years	605	4.96%	309	296	572	31	0	0	2
5 - 11 Years	1,127	9.24%	573	554	1,011	105	0	4	7
12 - 14 Years	441	3.61%	256	185	396	41	0	0	4
15 - 17 Years	430	3.52%	227	203	359	67	0	2	2
18 - 44 Years	4,770	39.09%	2,434	2,336	4,290	419	7	12	42
45 - 64 Years	2,875	23.56%	1,421	1,454	2,609	243	3	9	11
Over 65 Years	1,804	14.78%	746	1,058	1,576	202	7	5	14
Total	12,202	99.99%	6,044	6,158	10,955	1,116	17	32	82
Percent			49.53%	50.47%	89.78%	9.15%	0.14%	0.26%	0.67%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	79.6%	85.5%	84.7%	87.4%	87.2%	90.5%	NA	21
Low birth-weight babies	6.1%	3.1%	4.6%	7.4%	12.8%	8.0%	NA	84
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	6.8	12.6	0.0	14.8	7.5	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	12%	11%	13%	29%	29%	30%	NA	63
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	5.8	6.2	4.4	0.7	8.7	8.0	NA	88
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	46.3	46.1	0.0	46.0	0.0	NA	1

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	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	92%	92%	88%	87%	81%	89%	NA	32
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	79%	74%	76%	75%	60%	66%	NA	68
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	1%	2%	1%	3%	4%	3%	NA	24
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.17	8.04	2.30	6.9	NA	81
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	15.2	15.2	15.2	19.7	29.6	19.7	NA	31
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.4	1.8	3.4	5.5	NA	121
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.4	7.0	6.3	2.2	NA	70
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	118.8	236.7	234.2	114.8	0.0	344.4	NA	100
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	6,323.2	5,510.9	8,610.8	5,166.5	NA	53
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	15	18	18	9	9	14	14	82
Children whose parents divorced	1.3%	1.7%	1.5%	1.2%	0.9%	NA	NA	15
Births out of wedlock	19.0%	18.9%	22.1%	18.5%	21.1%	19.0%	NA	16
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	5.50%	5.30%	3.30%	2.70%	3.00%	3.0%	NA	21
Average per capita income	$19,363	$20,489	$21,617	$22,669	$23,734	NA	NA	20
Fiscal stress level	NA	155.55	156.58	157.82	157.88	NA	NA	30
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	14%	19%	20%	22%	18%	20%	NA	24
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	26.3	29.3	33.2	29.4	22.5	22.9	15.3	13
Average daily school membership	1,591	1,632	1,694	1,714	1,756	1,820	NA	28
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	75.3	72.6	70.9	68.3	75.0	77.8	NA	89
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	173	164	186	104

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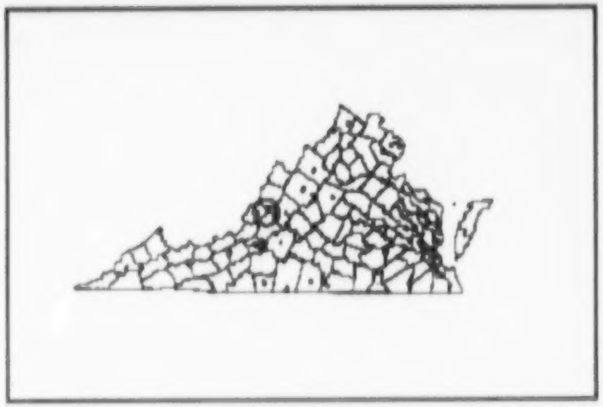

Square miles: 3.09 Population per square mile: 1,439.28

Data are combined for Clifton Forge City and Alleghany County for: middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests, 4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile, 6th graders passing all three Literacy Passport Tests, 9th - 12th graders who dropped out of school, incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school, incidents of students possessing weapons in school, students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program, average daily school membership, and instructional personnel rate.

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	45	1.01%	23	22	38	7	0	0	0
1 - 4 Years	200	4.50%	99	101	162	35	0	2	1
5 - 11 Years	377	8.47%	197	180	301	71	0	0	5
12 - 14 Years	166	3.73%	83	83	132	33	0	0	1
15 - 17 Years	131	2.94%	71	60	104	27	0	0	0
18 - 44 Years	1,410	31.69%	690	720	1,141	254	1	6	8
45 - 64 Years	956	21.49%	437	519	811	141	0	0	4
Over 65 Years	1,164	26.16%	375	789	1,010	149	2	0	3
Total	4,449	99.99%	1,975	2,474	3,699	717	3	8	22
Percent			44.39%	55.61%	83.14%	16.12%	0.07%	0.18%	0.49%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	86.7%	76.7%	79.2%	95.8%	88.0%	87.8%	NA	46
Low birth-weight babies	11.1%	7.0%	3.8%	12.5%	4.0%	4.9%	NA	10
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	44.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	24.4	NA	131
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	29%	25%	29%	35%	45%	35%	NA	40
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	3.0	10.5	15.9	7.6	4.4	6.5	NA	76
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	134.6	134.6	NA	133

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	80%	83%	74%	74%	84%	84%	NA	58
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	56%	51%	71%	70%	65%	65%	NA	72
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	6%	8%	5%	6%	4%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	9.97	6.73	6.73	3.4	NA	52
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	30.3	15.9	32.8	33.3	50.0	33.3	NA	81
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.5	6.2	1.6	5.2	NA	114
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.5	1.3	3.6	0.7	NA	19
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	25,913.6	12,457.9	14,478.1	3,367.0	NA	33
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	1	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	763.4	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	4	5	3	2	2	3	7	103
Children whose parents divorced	1.4%	1.3%	1.3%	1.0%	1.1%	NA	NA	36
Births out of wedlock	31.1%	39.5%	32.1%	22.9%	44.0%	51.2%	NA	121
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	10.10%	10.40%	7.20%	11.00%	8.10%	5.7%	NA	84
Average per capita income	$15,306	$16,125	$16,807	$17,752	$19,044	NA	NA	70
Fiscal stress level	NA	179.38	178.57	178.96	180.56	NA	NA	130
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	29%	31%	32%	32%	32%	34%	NA	66
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	130.4	130.9	141.3	136.0	132.8	111.0	92.5	109
Average daily school membership	3,199	3,123	3,141	3,075	3,076	3,056	NA	60
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	73.1	75.3	80.6	78.9	78.5	81.1	NA	110
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	115	115	115	122

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COLONIAL HEIGHTS

Square miles: 7.46 Population per square mile: 2,213.70

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	177	1.07%	98	79	166	2	1	4	4
1 - 4 Years	738	4.47%	371	367	699	8	1	23	7
5 - 11 Years	1,344	8.14%	689	655	1,272	8	4	43	17
12 - 14 Years	649	3.93%	307	342	612	3	3	26	5
15 - 17 Years	662	4.01%	339	323	622	2	1	31	6
18 - 44 Years	6,011	36.39%	2,894	3,117	5,706	72	16	153	64
45 - 64 Years	4,278	25.90%	2,031	2,247	4,097	8	9	120	44
Over 65 Years	2,660	16.10%	968	1,692	2,613	28	3	6	10
Total	16,519	100.01%	7,697	8,822	15,787	131	38	406	157
Percent			46.59%	53.41%	95.57%	0.79%	0.23%	2.46%	0.95%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	85.8%	82.4%	82.2%	88.0%	81.8%	84.5%	NA	72
Low birth-weight babies	7.1%	5.9%	8.0%	6.8%	7.0%	8.5%	NA	94
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	25.4	9.0	18.4	0.0	0.0	5.0	NA	68
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	22%	22%	13%	19%	14%	28%	NA	82
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	1.4	1.4	5.9	3.1	2.5	5.0	NA	60
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	37.1	73.3	36.6	36.6	36.6	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	94%	95%	94%	94%	96%	97%	NA	2
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	83%	51%	82%	77%	71%	66%	NA	68
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	3%	4%	5%	7%	4%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	5.42	5.34	2.29	3.1	NA	50
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	28.3	25.0	22.0	21.7	40.2	24.8	NA	50
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.5	1.9	1.1	4.7	NA	109
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.4	0.8	0.0	4.4	NA	117
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	394.0	310.6	464.8	1,067.9	381.4	305.1	NA	95
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	33,075.1	27,612.5	25,705.6	33,409.6	NA	129
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	1	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	7	8	9	5	5	5	6	104
Children whose parents divorced	1.9%	1.7%	2.2%	2.1%	2.4%	NA	NA	127
Births out of wedlock	24.9%	29.4%	27.0%	24.5%	33.2%	35.5%	NA	86
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	5.40%	7.50%	5.40%	4.80%	4.50%	4.0%	NA	48
Average per capita income	$17,665	$18,321	$18,797	$18,738	$20,399	NA	NA	46
Fiscal stress level	NA	166.27	166.87	166.22	165.39	NA	NA	70
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	9%	15%	16%	15%	16%	18%	NA	17
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	19.8	20.1	30.0	30.0	30.0	30.8	22.7	25
Average daily school membership	2,563	2,604	2,624	2,565	2,674	2,748	NA	52
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	78.8	78.5	81.4	80.8	76.3	77.7	NA	88
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	778	814	848	47

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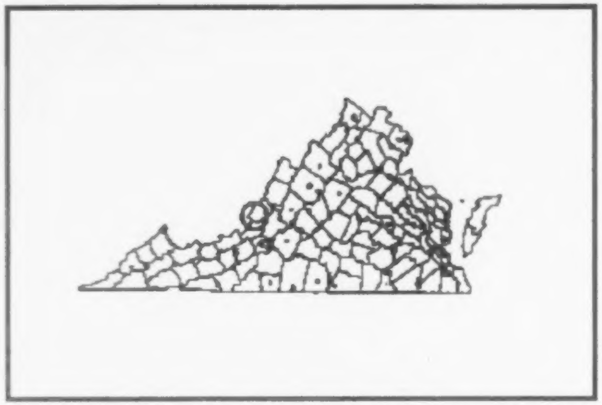

Data are combined for Covington City and Alleghany County for children whose parents divorced.

Square miles: 4.44 Population per square mile: 1,572.71

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	75	1.07%	39	36	63	11	0	1	0
1 - 4 Years	319	4.57%	160	159	271	37	0	9	2
5 - 11 Years	536	7.68%	269	267	434	91	4	6	1
12 - 14 Years	246	3.53%	121	125	190	49	0	5	2
15 - 17 Years	230	3.30%	106	124	181	44	0	5	0
18 - 44 Years	2,433	34.87%	1,220	1,213	2,016	388	2	18	9
45 - 64 Years	1,537	22.03%	732	805	1,331	193	0	8	5
Over 65 Years	1,601	22.95%	609	992	1,402	195	0	0	4
Total	6,977	100.00%	3,256	3,721	5,888	1,008	6	52	23
Percent			46.67%	53.33%	84.39%	14.45%	0.09%	0.75%	0.33%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	78.5%	85.5%	78.2%	89.9%	83.0%	82.5%	NA	84
Low birth-weight babies	10.1%	15.8%	10.3%	3.8%	8.5%	12.5%	NA	132
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	12.7	13.2	12.8	0.0	9.4	12.5	NA	107
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	11%	15%	14%	11%	17%	24%	NA	98
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	1.4	4.3	7.8	7.8	3.6	9.2	NA	95
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	90.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	82%	87%	75%	75%	88%	77%	NA	96
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	65%	51%	58%	71%	47%	52%	NA	115
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	5%	4%	4%	2%	2%	NA	9
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	19.19	16.81	12.61	16.8	NA	112
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	82.6	49.6	16.4	56.5	88.7	32.3	NA	76
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.1	3.1	1.0	4.1	NA	99
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.0	3.1	2.1	2.1	NA	68
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	215.5	215.5	213.2	0.0	210.1	0.0	NA	1
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	16,417.9	14,916.0	13,025.2	1,680.7	NA	13
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	440.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	0	5	13	11	14	15	5	112
Children whose parents divorced	1.5%	1.6%	1.5%	1.8%	1.5%	NA	NA	82
Births out of wedlock	44.3%	43.4%	34.6%	38.0%	38.7%	40.0%	NA	101
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	12.90%	14.60%	10.00%	11.80%	9.70%	8.2%	NA	112
Average per capita income	$15,306	$16,125	$16,807	$17,752	$19,044	NA	NA	70
Fiscal stress level	NA	181.16	180.93	180.45	180.85	NA	NA	131
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	31%	36%	36%	36%	35%	33%	NA	63
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	109.20	118.10	103.10	91.70	113.80	98.90	69.0	95
Average daily school membership	962	970	959	983	962	964	NA	7
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	82.8	81.5	80.1	82.6	89.4	82.0	NA	116
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	76	37	117	121

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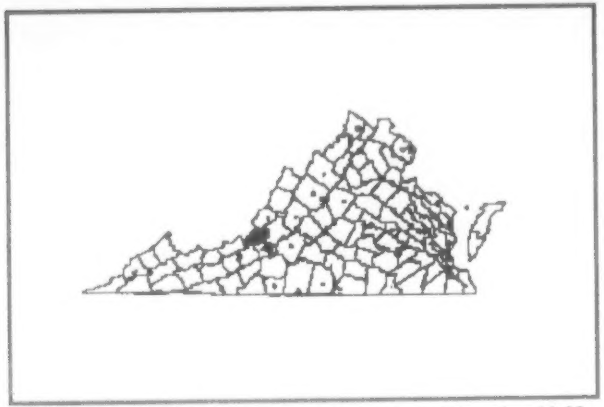

Square miles: 330.07 Population per square mile: 14.03

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	63	1.36%	35	28	61	1	0	1	0
1 - 4 Years	225	4.86%	126	99	222	1	0	2	0
5 - 11 Years	406	8.77%	230	176	405	0	1	0	0
12 - 14 Years	196	4.23%	103	93	196	0	0	0	0
15 - 17 Years	175	3.78%	92	83	175	0	0	0	0
18 - 44 Years	1,798	38.83%	917	881	1,790	2	3	1	2
45 - 64 Years	1,108	23.93%	583	525	1,101	4	1	0	2
Over 65 Years	660	14.25%	269	391	659	0	0	0	1
Total	4,631	100.01%	2,355	2,276	4,609	8	5	4	5
Percent			50.85%	49.15%	99.52%	0.17%	0.11%	0.09%	0.11%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	90.0%	95.2%	81.8%	94.8%	83.3%	98.1%	NA	1
Low birth-weight babies	4.0%	4.8%	9.1%	3.4%	5.6%	5.6%	NA	20
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	38%	35%	27%	9%	18%	20%	NA	115
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	10.5	13.4	9.4	6.6	7.5	23.5	NA	135
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	121.5	120.9	0.0	241.8	NA	135

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	83%	83%	87%	85%	94%	92%	NA	17
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	64%	57%	57%	70%	54%	60%	NA	91
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	2%	3%	6%	7%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.0	2.70	2.70	2.7	NA	45
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	48.8	12.5	61.0	0.0	36.1	48.2	NA	114
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	6.0	1.5	7.2	2.8	NA	[illegible]
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	6,027.4	3,504.0	5,929.9	2,156.3	NA	18
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	131
Children whose parents divorced	1.5%	1.7%	1.7%	2.6%	1.0%	NA	NA	27
Births out of wedlock	24.0%	4.8%	30.9%	8.6%	18.5%	25.9%	NA	53
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	7.70%	5.10%	6.10%	5.80%	4.60%	4.4%	NA	59
Average per capita income	$13,551	$14,502	$15,087	$15,845	$16,291	NA	NA	110
Fiscal stress level	NA	162.41	162.49	162.00	161.81	NA	NA	48
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	30%	31%	33%	35%	33%	30%	NA	51
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	14.4	19.2	19.8	26.3	31.9	31.9	13.1	6
Average daily school membership	662	646	665	676	699	706	NA	3
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	77.1	78.9	79.0	78.5	79.5	80.5	NA	105
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	0	0	50	130

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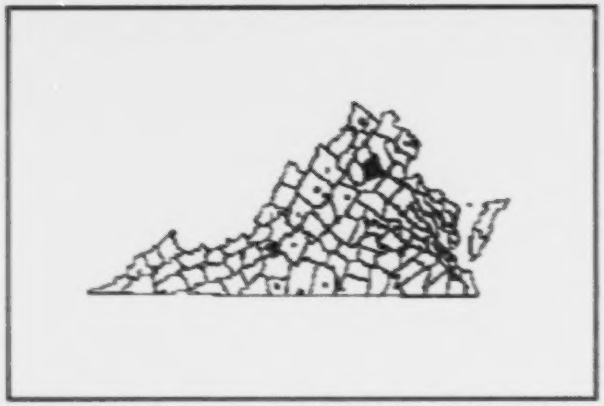

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	464	1.55%	220	244	348	88	3	19	6
1 - 4 Years	1,852	6.19%	904	948	1,435	359	6	36	16
5 - 11 Years	3,111	10.40%	1,659	1,452	2,417	637	8	23	26
12 - 14 Years	1,296	4.33%	636	660	1,004	278	4	5	5
15 - 17 Years	1,173	3.92%	610	563	914	239	5	10	5
18 - 44 Years	12,175	40.70%	6,040	6,135	9,491	2,343	49	210	82
45 - 64 Years	5,897	19.71%	2,969	2,928	4,853	984	11	28	21
Over 65 Years	3,944	13.19%	1,619	2,325	3,332	573	10	8	21
Total	29,912	99.99%	14,657	15,255	23,794	5,501	96	339	182
Percent			49.00%	51.00%	79.55%	18.39%	0.32%	1.13%	0.61%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	73.5%	76.0%	72.1%	76.8%	80.3%	84.2%	NA	74
Low birth-weight babies	6.3%	7.9%	7.9%	7.5%	8.0%	7.1%	NA	64
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	4.3	10.7	2.4	16.4	7.3	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	18%	23%	17%	23%	24%	24%	NA	98
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	6.8	4.9	4.5	3.9	3.3	4.7	NA	52
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	48.3	16.0	16.0	79.9	NA	122

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	86%	89%	88%	86%	81%	81%	NA	77
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	68%	56%	67%	63%	63%	70%	NA	50
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	6%	4%	4%	3%	6%	6%	NA	102
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	9.95	15.80	19.44	16.2	NA	109
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	37.2	38.5	41.9	49.7	62.2	33.7	NA	82
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.8	3.8	0.8	3.3	NA	80
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.0	2.0	2.6	1.2	NA	40
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	257.8	126.1	248.7	769.5	202.5	364.5	NA	103
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	5,180.3	7,006.9	5,670.3	7,816.9	NA	84
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	1	4	NA	131
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	178.9	0.0	87.5	0.0	85.3	255.8	NA	129
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	28	24	26	22	22	35	33	45
Children whose parents divorced	1.3%	1.5%	1.4%	1.4%	1.8%	NA	NA	113
Births out of wedlock	31.7%	29.1%	34.0%	32.4%	33.3%	33.7%	NA	83
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	7.10%	7.20%	4.00%	4.40%	4.60%	4.8%	NA	66
Average per capita income	$17,702	$18,061	$18,881	$19,854	$20,979	NA	NA	39
Fiscal stress level	NA	160.11	160.07	160.42	160.05	NA	NA	38
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	23%	32%	35%	36%	37%	35%	NA	70
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	45.9	58.1	60.4	58.9	52.2	43.8	40.0	57
Average daily school membership	4,830	4,918	4,936	4,995	5,015	5,131	NA	85
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	70.3	71.9	75.5	76.0	79.0	80.1	NA	100
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	1,214	1,429	1,461	34

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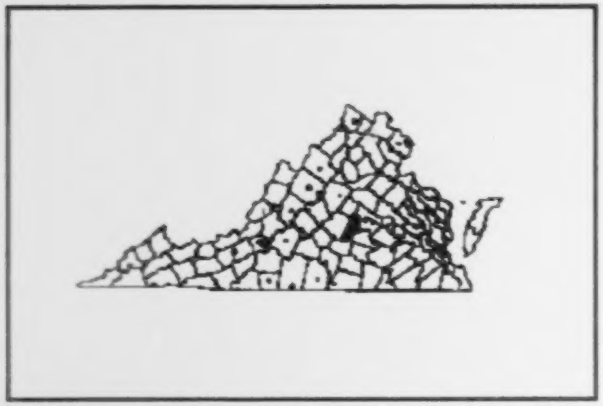

Square miles: 298.52 Population per square mile: 25.79

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	108	1.40%	60	48	60	45	0	0	3
1 - 4 Years	434	5.64%	210	224	238	189	1	1	5
5 - 11 Years	773	10.04%	390	383	412	357	0	2	2
12 - 14 Years	336	4.36%	193	143	193	141	0	1	1
15 - 17 Years	356	4.62%	173	183	192	160	1	1	2
18 - 44 Years	2,756	35.79%	1,350	1,406	1,555	1,168	5	6	22
45 - 64 Years	1,723	22.38%	828	895	1,140	577	1	3	2
Over 65 Years	1,214	15.77%	519	695	732	479	0	0	3
Total	7,700	100.00%	3,723	3,977	4,522	3,116	8	14	40
Percent			48.35%	51.65%	58.73%	40.47%	0.10%	0.18%	0.52%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	83.2%	79.4%	79.8%	82.4%	83.2%	79.8%	NA	100
Low birth-weight babies	12.1%	14.0%	5.5%	6.5%	6.9%	7.1%	NA	63
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	9.3	18.7	0.0	18.5	0.0	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	32%	17%	14%	29%	29%	21%	NA	112
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	7.3	6.3	6.3	3.5	3.0	1.5	NA	6
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	63.0	0.0	0.0	129.6	64.8	64.8	NA	118

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	43%	49%	47%	56%	52%	67%	NA	130
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	46%	32%	35%	41%	27%	33%	NA	134
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	9%	6%	7%	5%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	12.91	10.12	7.23	14.5	NA	102
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	33.0	43.5	27.3	16.4	21.9	27.3	NA	64
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.5	4.4	0.9	1.7	NA	38
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	7.8	2.6	1.8	3.4	NA	102
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	144.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	3,012.9	4,046.2	6,647.4	2,167.6	NA	19
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	2	2	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	280.9	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	6	7	8	7	8	9	2	124
Children whose parents divorced	1.2%	1.6%	1.3%	2.0%	1.3%	NA	NA	56
Births out of wedlock	42.1%	34.6%	39.4%	38.9%	33.7%	37.4	NA	93
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	6.60%	7.40%	5.20%	2.90%	2.60%	2.9%	NA	17
Average per capita income	$15,505	$15,988	$16,728	$17,708	$17,645	NA	NA	88
Fiscal stress level	NA	168.22	167.23	165.76	165.29	NA	NA	69
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	53%	58%	64%	62%	68%	62%	NA	128
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	89.6	95.8	91.3	99.2	95.7	80.2	74.7	99
Average daily school membership	1,199	1,166	1,149	1,149	1,138	1,193	NA	12
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	67.8	66.1	86.6	67.4	79.1	86.1	NA	124
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	70	70	79	128

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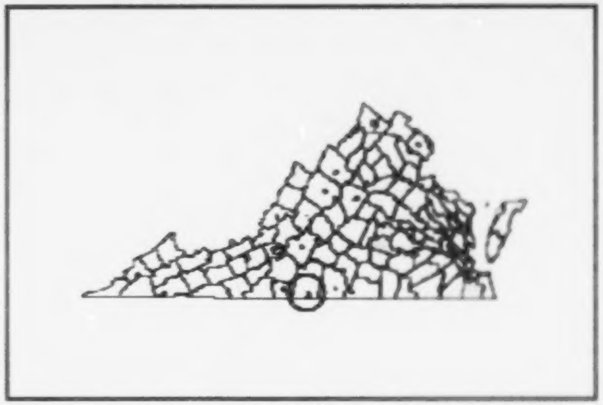

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	726	1.35%	360	366	290	433	0	2	1
1 - 4 Years	2,752	5.10%	1,427	1,325	1,159	1,566	2	10	15
5 - 11 Years	4,633	8.59%	2,387	2,246	2,096	2,456	17	50	14
12 - 14 Years	2,051	3.80%	1,059	992	950	1,074	6	13	8
15 - 17 Years	2,092	3.88%	1,116	976	1,020	1,042	3	23	4
18 - 44 Years	19,575	36.28%	9,148	10,427	10,742	8,662	29	109	73
45 - 64 Years	11,787	21.85%	5,328	6,459	8,288	3,395	11	55	38
Over 65 Years	10,336	19.16%	3,738	6,598	8,244	2,055	10	9	18
Total	53,952	100.01%	24,563	29,389	32,789	20,643	78	271	171
Percent			45.53%	54.47%	60.77%	38.26%	0.14%	0.50%	0.32%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	83.4%	81.2%	82.9%	81.3%	78.9%	80.1%	NA	98
Low birth-weight babies	8.7%	9.3%	9.3%	9.2%	14.1%	10.0%	NA	120
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	11.6	14.4	7.1	16.9	17.1	12.5	NA	108
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	15%	22%	14%	12%	15%	16%	NA	127
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	5.8	6.4	8.5	6.7	8.2	9.3	NA	97
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	42.6	10.6	21.2	21.2	42.4	31.8	NA	90

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	81%	86%	82%	77%	74%	71%	NA	119
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	64%	52%	56%	60%	52%	62%	NA	84
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	9%	6%	6%	6%	8%	6%	NA	102
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	13.49	42.72	26.79	22.7	NA	123
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	68.9	68.3	57.4	51.2	44.1	45.1	NA	106
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.4	0.4	0.7	1.1	NA	22
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.0	2.4	2.1	1.7	NA	58
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	225.3	222.2	147.2	120.7	386.2	0.0	NA	1
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	15,603.5	18,078.7	15,713.3	13,999.5	NA	111
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	1	1	3	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	98.6	0.0	48.8	47.8	47.8	47.8	NA	88
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	75	74	79	80	88	74	69	27
Children whose parents divorced	2.1%	2.2%	2.0%	2.4%	1.9%	NA	NA	119
Births out of wedlock	42.7%	44.9%	48.4%	49.2%	50.9%	50.6%	NA	120
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	13.50%	11.30%	8.30%	8.50%	8.10%	8.1%	NA	109
Average per capita income	$14,828	$15,676	$16,310	$16,719	$17,930	NA	NA	84
Fiscal stress level	NA	175.11	173.93	173.45	173.78	NA	NA	110
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	38%	42%	44%	45%	46%	49%	NA	108
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	125.3	144.7	143.8	138.9	136.8	134.2	117.8	124
Average daily school membership	9,303	8,332	8,355	8,261	8,141	8,198	NA	101
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	75.9	73.8	73.7	78	77.1	78.0	NA	90
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	1,384	1,494	1,519	32

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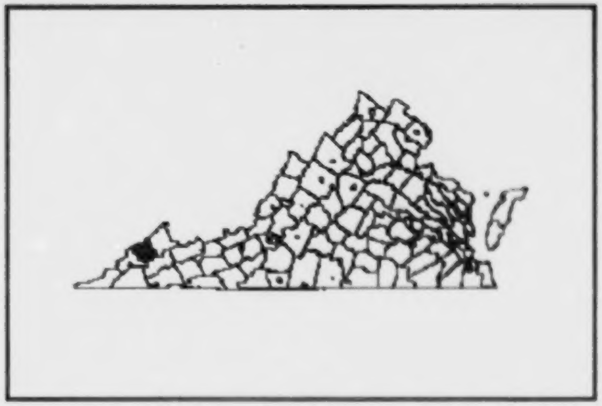

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	213	1.20%	116	97	213	0	0	0	0
1 - 4 Years	810	4.58%	422	388	798	5	0	1	6
5 - 11 Years	1,902	10.75%	1,009	893	1,889	4	1	0	8
12 - 14 Years	934	5.28%	474	460	925	6	0	0	3
15 - 17 Years	918	5.19%	469	449	907	7	0	2	2
18 - 44 Years	6,713	37.96%	3,331	3,382	6,659	28	4	3	19
45 - 64 Years	3,913	22.13%	1,925	1,988	3,881	7	7	4	14
Over 65 Years	2,282	12.90%	926	1,356	2,255	11	2	5	9
Total	17,685	99.99%	8,672	9,013	17,527	68	14	15	61
Percent			49.04%	50.96%	99.11%	0.38%	0.08%	0.08%	0.34%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	81.3%	77.6%	84.7%	80.7%	81.6%	81.5%	NA	91
Low birth-weight babies	4.2%	5.9%	4.7%	5.7%	6.3%	5.7%	NA	24
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	0.0	4.9	10.5	17.0	5.7	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	17%	21%	25%	28%	28%	31%	NA	56
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	6.0	8.1	7.9	4.8	4.2	5.2	NA	61
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	27.1	27.1	54.4	0.0	0.0	27.4	NA	82

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	73%	68%	71%	68%	65%	77%	NA	96
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	65%	55%	51%	56%	53%	61%	NA	86
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	6%	5%	4%	3%	5%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.71	2.70	1.08	0.0	NA	1
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	33.0	30.9	29.1	33.4	24.5	20.0	NA	34
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.0	1.8	4.6	1.3	NA	27
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.3	0.9	0.3	0.3	NA	14
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	4,777.4	4,103.7	6,047.5	917.9	NA	6
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	1	1	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	108.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	54	66	65	74	63	67	69	27
Children whose parents divorced	1.5%	1.4%	1.4%	1.6%	0.7%	NA	NA	3
Births out of wedlock	22.4%	19.0%	23.2%	25.0%	24.7%	24.8	NA	43
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	16.90%	18.10%	15.20%	18.90%	19.30%	20.5%	NA	136
Average per capita income	$12,824	$13,787	$14,196	$14,353	$14,012	NA	NA	133
Fiscal stress level	NA	176.50	182.29	177.31	173.63	NA	NA	108
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	45%	50%	51%	53%	57%	58%	NA	120
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	107.3	118.4	114.2	112.2	112.8	108.6	94.8	111
Average daily school membership	3,587	3,484	3,370	3,303	3,278	3,168	NA	62
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	68.5	76.7	86.9	83.9	94.9	89.2	NA	129
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	157	182	180	106

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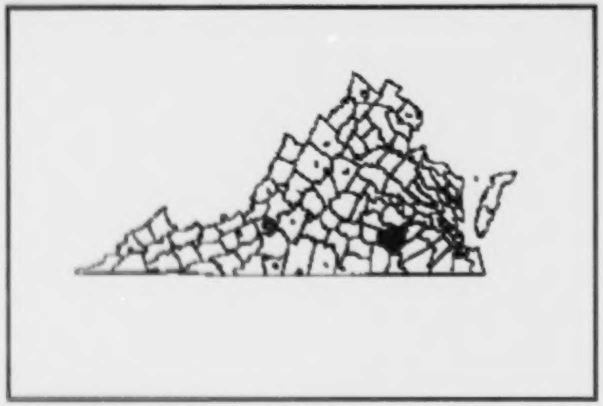

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	260	1.16%	136	124	157	101	0	0	2
1 - 4 Years	1,113	4.98%	567	546	710	395	1	1	6
5 - 11 Years	1,942	8.69%	996	946	1,167	754	3	2	16
12 - 14 Years	895	4.00%	456	439	500	385	1	8	1
15 - 17 Years	905	4.05%	477	428	511	378	8	7	1
18 - 44 Years	9,278	41.50%	4,749	4,529	5,329	3,857	21	29	42
45 - 64 Years	5,259	23.53%	2,608	2,651	3,290	1,940	4	14	11
Over 65 Years	2,702	12.09%	1,167	1,535	1,735	958	3	3	3
Total	22,354	100.00%	11,156	11,198	13,399	8,768	41	64	82
Percent			49.91%	50.09%	59.94%	39.22%	0.18%	0.29%	0.37%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	78.8%	80.4%	83.8%	79.9%	83.4%	86.1%	NA	57
Low birth-weight babies	5.3%	7.2%	7.7%	9.3%	9.1%	6.6%	NA	43
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	3.5	13.7	7.4	10.3	7.9	8.2	NA	89
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	23%	21%	22%	27%	31%	22%	NA	106
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	2.6	4.2	9.3	2.3	1.8	2.3	NA	14
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	25.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	75.9	NA	121

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	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	79%	87%	86%	88%	90%	87%	NA	41
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	62%	58%	64%	71%	64%	76%	NA	24
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	8%	4%	6%	8%	9%	7%	NA	118
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.28	2.22	5.00	1.7	NA	36
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	26.6	51.1	31.3	32.7	28.0	25.7	NA	55
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	5.6	4.5	4.8	2.6	NA	56
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.6	4.8	4.3	1.0	NA	33
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	174.2	116.1	342.3	277.8	166.7	444.4	NA	107
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	5,761.6	4,833.3	7,055.6	5,111.1	NA	52
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	1	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	114.5	115.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	28	20	20	22	16	20	17	75
Children whose parents divorced	1.7%	1.5%	1.8%	1.9%	1.2%	NA	NA	44
Births out of wedlock	35.3%	36.4%	37.9%	38.6%	33.2%	36.1	NA	88
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	7.20%	8.00%	6.50%	5.60%	4.10%	4.2%	NA	53
Average per capita income	$17,665	$18,321	$18,797	$18,738	$20,399	NA	NA	46
Fiscal stress level	NA	166.32	167.09	166.28	165.47	NA	NA	72
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	29%	32%	33%	34%	35%	36%	NA	77
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	75.5	88.1	88.8	79.4	79.2	72.5	71.7	97
Average daily school membership	3,607	3,681	3,728	3,771	3,758	3,914	NA	72
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	68.2	75	80.5	67.1	73.6	70.9	NA	41
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	192	200	212	98

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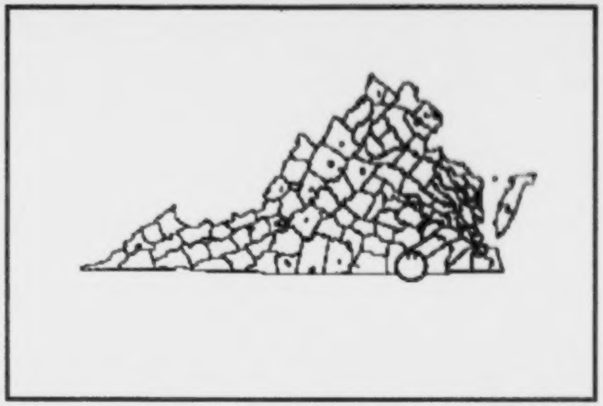

Square miles: 6.89 Population per square mile: 864.30

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	96	1.61%	49	47	30	66	0	0	0
1 - 4 Years	351	5.90%	189	162	136	213	2	0	0
5 - 11 Years	545	9.16%	298	247	208	331	2	3	1
12 - 14 Years	230	3.86%	138	92	81	145	2	1	1
15 - 17 Years	237	3.98%	116	121	91	144	1	1	0
18 - 44 Years	2,005	33.68%	952	1,053	951	1,035	4	7	8
45 - 64 Years	1,205	20.24%	545	660	738	451	3	8	5
Over 65 Years	1,284	21.57%	490	794	863	417	0	1	3
Total	5,953	100.00%	2,777	3,176	3,098	2,802	14	21	18
Percent			46.65%	53.35%	52.04%	47.07%	0.24%	0.35%	0.30%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	69.2%	68.2%	58.8%	68.1%	63.1%	73.1%	NA	127
Low birth-weight babies	12.1%	11.8%	7.8%	15.9%	17.9%	7.5%	NA	73
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	18.7	0.0	9.8	14.5	11.9	59.7	NA	135
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	15%	19%	28%	62%	51%	40%	NA	19
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	0.2	0.0	0.5	1.8	1.6	1.6	NA	7
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	177.6	88.8	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	66%	69%	68%	71%	71%	74%	NA	112
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	47%	44%	48%	51%	40%	63%	NA	78
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	5%	4%	5%	5%	4%	5%	NA	81
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	10.89	32.12	44.97	23.6	NA	126
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	90.9	114.0	68.4	90.9	82.6	41.3	NA	100
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.7	0.0	1.9	1.8	NA	41
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.5	4.4	4.1	3.7	NA	107
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	1,639.3	2,013.4	1,960.8	2,141.3	2,355.5	2,141.3	NA	135
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	28,322.4	16,274.1	27,194.9	23,768.7	NA	126
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	8	6	5	5	6	5	6	104
Children whose parents divorced	1.5%	1.2%	1.1%	1.2%	1.1%	NA	NA	33
Births out of wedlock	51.4%	54.1%	75.5%	65.2%	61.9%	55.2%	NA	128
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	10.60%	10.20%	8.40%	8.00%	8.50%	5.9%	NA	88
Average per capita income	$13,924	$13,614	$14,010	$15,195	$15,447	NA	NA	121
Fiscal stress level	NA	183.33	181.78	181.91	183.69	NA	NA	134
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	47%	52%	56%	57%	58%	58%	NA	120
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	131.5	136.8	147.9	149.3	123.1	103.3	119.9	125
Average daily school membership	2,701	2,761	2,737	2,722	2,680	2,734	NA	50
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	68	67.9	70.1	74	81.5	75.7	NA	76
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	152	172	192	103

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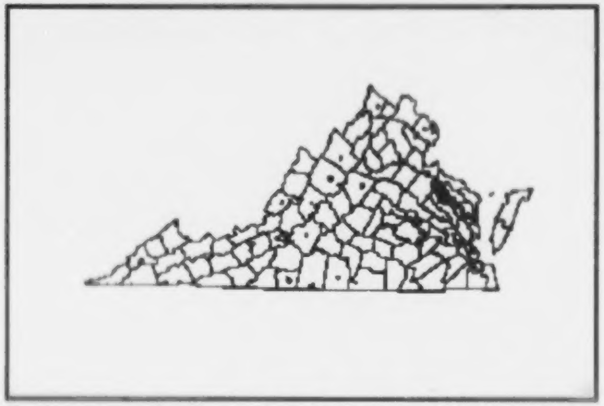

Square miles: 257.78 Population per square mile: 35.53

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	109	1.19%	56	53	54	53	1	1	0
1 - 4 Years	444	4.85%	229	215	238	205	1	0	0
5 - 11 Years	855	9.34%	434	421	456	389	5	2	3
12 - 14 Years	412	4.50%	202	210	221	186	1	3	1
15 - 17 Years	328	3.58%	166	162	198	129	0	1	0
18 - 44 Years	3,263	35.63%	1,562	1,701	1,807	1,407	18	24	7
45 - 64 Years	2,067	22.57%	1,007	1,060	1,325	714	18	9	1
Over 65 Years	1,681	18.35%	650	1,031	1,152	519	3	0	7
Total	9,159	100.01%	4,306	4,853	5,451	3,602	47	40	19
Percent			47.01%	52.99%	59.52%	39.33%	0.51%	0.44%	0.21%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	83.2%	85.6%	72.7%	78.6%	88.8%	78.3%	NA	109
Low birth-weight babies	7.6%	3.8%	10.2%	9.7%	11.2%	8.5%	NA	93
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	8.4	7.6	7.8	29.1	10.2	9.4	NA	93
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	21%	29%	25%	18%	15%	22%	NA	106
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	4.8	8.1	3.3	4.2	6.5	5.6	NA	64
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	58.4	58.4	NA	115

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	81%	82%	81%	74%	78%	87%	NA	41
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	60%	53%	73%	69%	60%	69%	NA	55
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	2%	2%	7%	3%	5%	NA	81
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	9.60	9.46	6.76	12.2	NA	98
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	39.0	38.2	37.5	43.2	37.0	43.2	NA	102
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.9	0.0	3.8	2.6	NA	57
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.5	0.0	1.3	2.6	NA	78
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	558.7	0.0	0.0	135.1	135.1	NA	55
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	11,659.8	8,648.6	14,729.7	8,378.4	NA	90
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	1	0	0	0	0	2	NA	113
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	320.5	314.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	609.8	NA	134
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	2	2	2	5	7	9	11	90
Children whose parents divorced	1.0%	0.9%	1.5%	1.6%	1.8%	NA	NA	110
Births out of wedlock	41.2%	38.6%	50.0%	46.6%	39.8%	44.3%	NA	111
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	8.50%	8.00%	6.90%	6.30%	7.40%	8.8%	NA	116
Average per capita income	$15,849	$16,781	$16,821	$18,142	$18,290	NA	NA	80
Fiscal stress level	NA	162.52	163.47	162.36	162.74	NA	NA	51
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	31%	32%	35%	40%	44%	45%	NA	100
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	70.8	84.0	81.7	79.1	83.8	79.6	58.7	84
Average daily school membership	1,482	1,542	1,602	1,018	1,567	1,549	NA	22
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	66.2	64.8	69.0	110.7	75.9	74.9	NA	71
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	282	245	287	86

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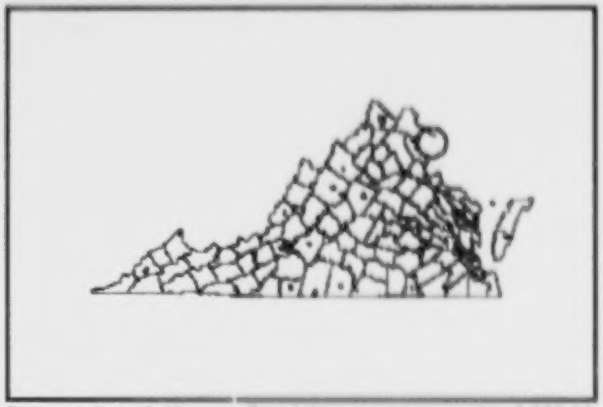

Square miles: 6.16 Population per square mile: 3,328.68

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Comparable data were not available for intake cases involving delinquency.

Data are combined for Fairfax City, Fairfax County, and Falls Church City for: founded cases of child abuse or neglect, foster care out-of-home placements, children whose parents divorced, and children receiving TANF.

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	255	1.24%	125	130	187	21	0	27	20
1 - 4 Years	927	4.52%	492	435	679	62	4	104	78
5 - 11 Years	1,517	7.39%	803	714	1,080	122	7	161	147
12 - 14 Years	648	3.16%	304	344	459	31	0	83	75
15 - 17 Years	628	3.06%	328	300	452	38	6	75	57
18 - 44 Years	9,550	46.55%	4,815	4,735	7,330	572	28	903	717
45 - 64 Years	4,710	22.96%	2,198	2,512	4,041	130	9	361	169
Over 65 Years	2,282	11.12%	930	1,352	2,118	50	0	78	36
Total	20,517	100.00%	9,995	10,522	16,346	1,026	54	1,792	1,299
Percent			48.72%	51.28%	79.67%	5.00%	0.26%	8.73%	6.33%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	82.8%	83.3%	83.3%	79.6%	82.7%	85.7%	NA	60
Low birth-weight babies	3.3%	4.7%	1.9%	4.5%	6.6%	7.2%	NA	65
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	3.3	6.7	0.0	0.0	11.1	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	25%	25%	24%	28%	26%	29%	NA	73
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	3.4	2.8	3.6	3.3	3.8	3.5	NA	33
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	32.3	32.3	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	91%	91%	92%	91%	91%	92%	NA	17
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	86%	79%	84%	84%	81%	85%	NA	5
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	7.96	21.16	10.97	11.8	NA	97
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	10.3	16.9	16.9	10.0	16.7	10.0	NA	7
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.9	3.0	4.0	3.8	NA	90
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.4	2.1	1.6	1.3	NA	44
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	331.4	80.5	0.0	235.1	235.1	1,332.3	NA	134
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	1	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	318.5	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	597	567	604	576	699	754	717	2
Children whose parents divorced	1.0%	0.9%	0.9%	1.0%	1.0%	NA	NA	21
Births out of wedlock	15.9%	20.7%	17.3%	21.1%	14.0%	16.3%	NA	10
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	2.30%	2.30%	2.30%	1.50%	1.40%	1.5%	NA	1
Average per capita income	$30,076	$31,292	$32,445	$33,529	$36,090	NA	NA	3
Fiscal stress level	NA	150.44	152.29	152.77	153.62	NA	NA	15
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	10%	12%	15%	17%	17%	17%	NA	13
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	22.5	28.8	32.4	35.2	35.1	29.9	10.1	4
Average daily school membership	128,996	131,771	133,474	135,356	137,770	139,674	NA	134
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	69.9	69.6	69.9	73.2	75.1	73.5	NA	61
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	3,062	3,016	3,630	17

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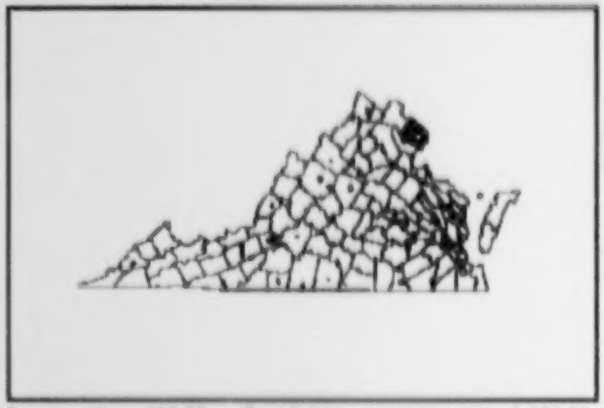

Square miles: 395.58 Population per square mile: 2,226.52

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	12,639	1.44%	6,507	6,132	8,637	1,233	21	1,539	1,209
1 - 4 Years	49,621	5.63%	25,437	24,184	34,720	4,904	99	5,898	4,000
5 - 11 Years	82,157	9.33%	42,044	40,113	58,238	8,088	250	9,116	6,465
12 - 14 Years	35,146	3.99%	17,948	17,198	24,664	3,208	114	4,269	2,891
15 - 17 Years	34,528	3.92%	17,620	16,908	24,419	3,184	103	3,960	2,862
18 - 44 Years	411,368	46.71%	203,817	207,551	295,775	40,531	1,305	41,928	31,829
45 - 64 Years	195,539	22.20%	98,887	96,652	158,879	8,982	527	18,096	9,055
Over 65 Years	59,758	6.78%	24,953	34,805	51,718	1,800	92	4,002	2,146
Total	880,756	100.00%	437,213	443,543	657,050	71,930	2,511	88,808	60,457
Percent			49.64%	50.36%	74.60%	8.17%	0.29%	10.08%	6.86%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	83.3%	84.7%	85.4%	82.7%	81.4%	86.6%	NA	53
Low birth-weight babies	5.4%	5.1%	5.3%	5.5%	5.9%	6.8%	NA	52
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	7.7	5.7	6.4	5.8	4.7	6.4	NA	75
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	25%	25%	24%	28%	26%	29%	NA	73
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	3.4	2.8	3.6	3.3	3.8	3.5	NA	33
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	14.4	12.3	23.0	14.4	19.8	13.8	NA	58

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	91%	91%	92%	91%	91%	92%	NA	17
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	86%	79%	84%	84%	81%	85%	NA	5
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	2%	3%	3%	3%	3%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.69	1.81	1.69	1.8	NA	37
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	11.0	11.4	10.3	13.4	12.2	12.0	NA	10
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.9	3.0	4.0	3.8	NA	90
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.4	2.1	1.6	1.3	NA	44
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	64.4	87.0	92.7	96.2	143.5	24.4	NA	29
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	8	7	9	7	7	4	NA	131
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	30.4	24.0	29.7	20.3	20.3	23.2	NA	79
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	597	567	604	576	699	754	717	2
Children whose parents divorced	1.0%	0.9%	0.9%	1.0%	1.0%	NA	NA	21
Births out of wedlock	15.3%	15.2%	15.9%	16.4%	16.6%	15.5%	NA	8
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	3.20%	3.80%	3.30%	3.00%	2.80%	2.7%	NA	11
Average per capita income	$30,076	$31,292	$32,445	$33,529	$36,090	NA	NA	3
Fiscal stress level	NA	146.35	146.03	146.70	146.72	NA	NA	5
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	10%	12%	15%	17%	17%	17%	NA	13
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	22.5	28.8	32.4	35.2	35.1	29.9	20.4	22
Average daily school membership	128,996	131,771	133,474	135,356	137,770	139,674	NA	134
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	69.9	69.6	69.9	73.2	75.1	73.5	NA	61
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	31,062	33,983	37,959	1

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Data are combined for Falls Church City, Fairfax City, and Fairfax County for: founded cases of child abuse or neglect, foster care out-of-home placements, children whose parents divorced, and children receiving TANF.

Square miles: 2.00 Population per square mile: 4,797.11

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	118	1.23%	59	59	89	7	0	5	17
1 - 4 Years	416	4.35%	210	206	331	12	0	33	40
5 - 11 Years	725	7.57%	384	341	587	34	12	39	53
12 - 14 Years	286	2.99%	150	136	210	19	2	32	23
15 - 17 Years	291	3.04%	143	148	210	11	2	23	45
18 - 44 Years	4,141	26%	2,033	2,108	3,366	159	26	248	342
45 - 64 Years	2,080	21.73%	1,004	1,076	1,809	48	13	95	115
Over 65 Years	1,515	15.83%	561	954	1,405	21	3	54	32
Total	9,572	100.00%	4,544	5,028	8,007	311	58	529	667
Percent			47.47%	52.53%	83.65%	3.25%	0.61%	5.53%	6.97%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	80.4%	81.3%	83.8%	86.5%	86.5%	88.5%	NA	38
Low birth-weight babies	3.7%	5.2%	5.1%	4.8%	8.3%	5.1%	NA	14
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	0.0	10.4	0.0	0.0	10.4	12.8	NA	109
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	48%	35%	31%	45%	40%	44%	NA	10
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	3.4	2.8	3.6	3.3	3.8	3.5	NA	33
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	71.2	70.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	96%	88%	84%	89%	94%	96%	NA	5
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	85%	80%	84%	89%	75%	89%	NA	3
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	0%	0%	1%	0%	1%	0%	NA	1
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	28.17	20.80	39.86	29.5	NA	131
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	20.8	7.1	0.0	13.5	13.5	13.5	NA	13
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.8	5.2	0.7	0.0	NA	1
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.0	6.7	1.5	0.0	NA	1
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	354.0	0.0	1,056.3	346.6	173.3	693.2	NA	100
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	9,859.2	8,665.5	14,038.1	14,558.1	NA	113
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	350.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	597	567	604	576	699	754	717	2
Children whose parents divorced	1.0%	0.9%	0.9%	1.0%	1.0%	NA	NA	21
Births out of wedlock	17.8%	9.4%	15.2%	19.2%	10.4%	12.8%	NA	5
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	3.90%	5.50%	4.20%	2.70%	4.50%	4.1%	NA	51
Average per capita income	$30,076	$31,292	$32,445	$33,529	$36,090	NA	NA	3
Fiscal stress level	NA	140.96	141.87	142.41	140.29	NA	NA	3
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	9%	11%	13%	8%	13%	11%	NA	4
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	22.5	28.8	32.4	35.2	35.1	29.9	4.9	1
Average daily school membership	1,225	1,217	1,269	1,346	1,344	1,465	NA	18
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	86	80.1	87.6	82.1	91.5	87.4	NA	126
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	1,464	1,629	1,894	26

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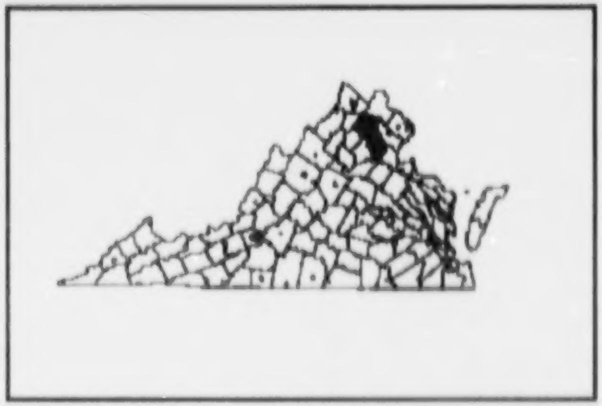

Square miles: 650.31 Population per square mile: 79.06

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	782	1.52%	413	369	678	79	1	9	15
1 - 4 Years	3,254	6.33%	1,662	1,592	2,781	368	5	26	74
5 - 11 Years	5,441	10.58%	2,801	2,640	4,684	613	11	40	93
12 - 14 Years	2,188	4.26%	1,170	1,018	1,814	313	10	11	40
15 - 17 Years	1,965	3.82%	1,005	960	1,674	253	3	17	18
18 - 44 Years	21,603	42.02%	10,906	10,697	18,445	2,606	65	158	329
45 - 64 Years	11,179	21.74%	5,763	5,416	9,807	1,230	12	56	74
Over 65 Years	5,001	9.73%	2,127	2,874	4,222	726	15	6	32
Total	51,413	100.00%	25,847	25,566	44,105	6,188	122	32	675
Percent			50.27%	49.73%	85.79%	12.04%	0.24%	0.63%	1.31%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	84.0%	89.5%	88.8%	88.1%	89.1%	90.3%	NA	22
Low birth-weight babies	5.7%	5.3%	5.0%	5.8%	5.6%	6.1%	NA	36
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	6.8	2.7	7.2	13.7	4.7	4.7	NA	65
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	21%	17%	17%	19%	24%	20%	NA	115
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	2.9	2.3	2.5	1.0	1.6	3.2	NA	28
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	28.2	9.2	9.2	36.8	27.6	45.9	NA	107

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	89%	91%	91%	89%	91%	92%	NA	17
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	69%	66%	75%	75%	67%	68%	NA	62
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	4%	6%	6%	6%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.98	1.44	2.41	2.2	NA	40
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	18.3	19.1	25.5	16.7	16.7	26.0	NA	57
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.9	4.4	2.3	4.6	NA	106
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.8	6.3	2.1	1.6	NA	57
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	75.9	74.0	122.6	216.7	168.6	48.2	NA	37
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	4,976.7	4,767.6	5,634.5	5,273.3	NA	56
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	1	0	2	3	1	2	NA	113
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	157.9	0.0	155.7	152.7	0.0	101.8	NA	105
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	14	14	17	22	24	27	27	56
Children whose parents divorced	1.6%	1.3%	1.4%	1.2%	1.3%	NA	NA	61
Births out of wedlock	16.6%	19.1%	19.9%	18.3%	22.0%	24.3%	NA	39
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	4.80%	5.20%	3.30%	3.30%	3.20%	2.9%	NA	17
Average per capita income	$24,372	$24,796	$26,294	$27,544	$29,295	NA	NA	6
Fiscal stress level	NA	147.02	147.78	148.21	148.79	NA	NA	7
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	13%	15%	20%	20%	20%	21%	NA	27
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	21.5	25.4	27.8	29.1	28.9	26.8	24.2	27
Average daily school membership	8,108	8,307	8,402	8,443	8,646	8,888	NA	103
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	75.9	74.9	76.1	77.8	83.5	82.1	NA	117
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	1,292	1,394	1,901	25

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Square miles: 381.48 Population per square mile: 32.90

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	135	1.08%	63	72	132	1	0	1	1
1 - 4 Years	559	4.45%	295	264	538	12	2	5	2
5 - 11 Years	1,111	8.85%	576	535	1,078	25	2	2	4
12 - 14 Years	531	4.23%	273	258	520	6	0	2	3
15 - 17 Years	483	3.85%	265	218	467	14	0	0	2
18 - 44 Years	4,565	36.37%	2,323	2,242	4,390	118	9	11	37
45 - 64 Years	2,973	23.69%	1,485	1,488	2,885	78	2	1	7
Over 65 Years	2,195	17.49%	937	1,258	2,144	46	1	0	4
Total	12,552	100.01%	6,217	6,335	12,154	300	16	22	60
Percent			49.53%	50.47%	96.83%	2.39%	0.13%	0.18%	0.48%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	85.2%	83.7%	89.3%	84.5%	87.1%	84.5%	NA	73
Low birth-weight babies	5.6%	10.6%	3.3%	6.2%	3.9%	4.7%	NA	7
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	14.1	32.5	8.2	0.0	0.0	7.8	NA	85
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	25%	22%	29%	31%	35%	39%	NA	24
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	8.0	4.6	12.5	9.2	10.6	6.4	NA	75
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	45.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	81%	78%	89%	76%	88%	91%	NA	25
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	62%	60%	69%	73%	72%	68%	NA	62
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	7%	4%	3%	3%	2%	NA	9
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.00	0.99	1.97	0.0	NA	1
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	18.8	27.9	37.4	36.7	41.3	22.9	NA	44
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.5	4.9	1.6	4.8	NA	111
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.0	5.4	2.7	5.4	NA	127
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	100.8	0.0	98.6	0.0	0.0	NA	1
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	1,706.8	1,972.4	3,747.5	2,564.1	NA	23
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	1	3	1	3	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	632.9	414.1	621.1	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	3	0	1	2	2	3	3	119
Children whose parents divorced	2.2%	1.4%	1.3%	1.8%	2.0%	NA	NA	122
Births out of wedlock	16.9%	13.8%	15.6%	25.6%	16.8%	24.8	NA	42
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	10.70%	9.40%	7.40%	6.40%	5.10%	5.3%	NA	78
Average per capita income	$14,049	$13,938	$14,440	$15,266	$14,465	NA	NA	130
Fiscal stress level	NA	164.43	164.58	164.21	164.07	NA	NA	58
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	26%	29%	28%	27%	27%	26%	NA	38
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	30.0	32.8	38.2	42.9	45.4	48.6	39.7	56
Average daily school membership	1,899	1,886	1,853	1,836	1,850	1,861	NA	29
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	76	74.6	83.4	77.2	78.8	76.1	NA	79
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	70	91	91	125

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Square miles: 287.43 Population per square mile: 52.99

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	226	1.48%	109	117	155	68	0	1	2
1 - 4 Years	902	5.92%	460	442	664	233	0	1	4
5 - 11 Years	1,518	9.97%	801	717	1,097	412	1	0	8
12 - 14 Years	632	4.15%	338	294	457	168	2	1	4
15 - 17 Years	541	3.55%	263	278	377	160	1	0	3
18 - 44 Years	6,035	39.62%	3,011	3,024	4,488	1,491	15	12	29
45 - 64 Years	3,325	21.83%	1,602	1,723	2,587	721	2	2	13
Over 65 Years	2,053	13.48%	951	1,102	1,601	448	0	1	3
Total	15,232	100.00%	7,535	7,697	11,426	3,701	21	18	66
Percent			49.47%	50.53%	75.01%	24.30%	0.14%	0.12%	0.43%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	82.8%	82.8%	81.0%	85.9%	91.5%	88.5%	NA	38
Low birth-weight babies	7.4%	5.2%	7.5%	5.2%	9.0%	4.7%	NA	8
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	4.9	5.2	0.0	15.7	0.0	4.3	NA	60
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	16%	40%	42%	59%	53%	57%	NA	3
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	16.6	8.5	4.6	4.2	2.4	4.7	NA	53
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	75%	74%	82%	74%	71%	76%	NA	105
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	60%	56%	56%	64%	51%	63%	NA	78
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	3%	6%	5%	5%	3%	NA	24
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	9.87	5.97	5.12	3.4	NA	53
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	20.7	31.7	19.0	21.6	28.8	36.0	NA	86
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.9	2.5	4.0	2.7	NA	60
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	8.3	10.5	7.3	2.7	NA	83
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	188.1	0.0	85.3	0.0	85.3	NA	49
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	4,757.6	2,472.3	3,495.3	3,324.8	NA	32
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	2	0	1	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	213.2	203.7	195.3	184.8	0.0	184.8	NA	123
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	13	5	5	4	4	5	6	104
Children whose parents divorced	1.5%	1.3%	1.7%	0.7%	1.0%	NA	NA	18
Births out of wedlock	24.6%	27.6%	28.2%	29.8%	27.4%	24.8	NA	41
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	5.30%	5.60%	3.60%	3.80%	3.10%	2.8%	NA	13
Average per capita income	$16,073	$16,733	$17,389	$17,897	$19,270	NA	NA	63
Fiscal stress level	NA	160.01	159.02	157.72	158.57	NA	NA	31
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	22%	22%	21%	23%	22%	23%	NA	31
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	38.9	35.5	31.8	30.9	29.1	26.2	18.1	18
Average daily school membership	2,144	2,210	2,300	2,371	2,472	2,588	NA	46
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	68.2	65.2	73	74.2	74.5	73.7	NA	66
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	271	305	326	81

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Data are combined for Franklin City and Southampton County for children whose parents divorced.

Square miles: 7.68 Population per square mile: 1,120.57

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	132	1.53%	70	62	36	96	0	0	0
1 - 4 Years	511	5.94%	258	253	169	341	1	0	0
5 - 11 Years	935	10.87%	468	467	370	562	0	2	1
12 - 14 Years	389	4.52%	201	188	152	237	0	0	0
15 - 17 Years	347	4.03%	180	167	136	208	0	3	0
18 - 44 Years	3,116	36.22%	1,409	1,707	1,330	1,768	2	12	4
45 - 64 Years	1,775	20.63%	776	999	913	856	2	3	1
Over 65 Years	1,397	16.24%	492	905	730	664	1	0	2
Total	8,602	99.98%	3,854	4,748	3,836	4,732	6	20	8
Percent			44.80%	55.20%	44.59%	55.01%	0.07%	0.23%	0.09%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	74.4%	77.0%	80.3%	69.4%	73.1%	74.5%	NA	124
Low birth-weight babies	14.6%	8.1%	6.8%	11.9%	8.3%	12.3%	NA	131
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	18.3	13.5	0.0	14.9	0.0	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	34%	32%	31%	31%	35%	48%	NA	7
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	4.4	9.1	3.1	0.4	1.3	2.2	NA	13
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	57.0	0.0	0.0	54.5	54.5	109.0	NA	130

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	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	80%	71%	83%	81%	78%	71%	NA	119
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	55%	53%	65%	59%	68%	54%	NA	110
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	3%	4%	4%	5%	5%	5%	NA	81
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	27.78	42.12	23.10	23.10	NA	125
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	65.4	74.1	43.2	59.9	24.0	53.9	NA	122
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.5	2.3	0.0	0.0	NA	1
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	5.4	0.0	4.0	2.8	NA	86
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	443.8	698.3	833.3	679.3	271.7	135.9	NA	56
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	9,444.4	6,114.1	6,250.0	6,114.1	NA	66
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	1	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	313.5	0.0	0.0	288.2	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	25	22	21	24	14	13	15	81
Children whose parents divorced	1.5%	0.9%	1.3%	1.2%	0.9%	NA	NA	9
Births out of wedlock	55.5%	50.0%	56.1%	53.0%	41.7%	56.6	NA	131
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	6.00%	6.20%	6.80%	5.70%	5.00%	5.7%	NA	84
Average per capita income	$16,564	$17,003	$17,457	$18,904	$20,006	NA	NA	49
Fiscal stress level	NA	173.91	174.56	174.44	174.23	NA	NA	114
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	38%	41%	44%	49%	49%	47%	NA	103
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	156.9	179.0	183.2	178.0	157.3	150.8	128.8	128
Average daily school membership	1,846	1,863	1,854	1,775	1,733	1,804	NA	27
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	63.1	60.6	63.1	66.4	81.2	71.4	NA	44
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	311	352	402	72

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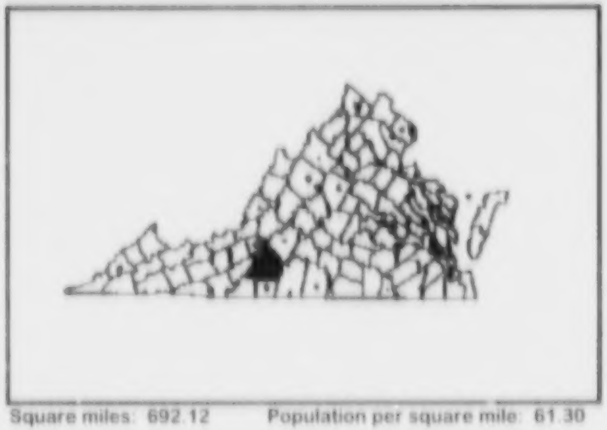

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	495	1.17%	249	246	412	76	0	2	5
1 - 4 Years	2,127	5.01%	1,055	1,072	1,826	288	0	4	9
5 - 11 Years	3,672	8.66%	1,909	1,763	3,095	548	7	8	14
12 - 14 Years	1,688	3.98%	816	872	1,444	237	2	2	3
15 - 17 Years	1,671	3.94%	838	833	1,415	244	2	7	3
18 - 44 Years	17,097	40.30%	8,588	8,509	14,884	2,101	19	40	53
45 - 64 Years	9,833	23.18%	4,928	4,905	8,953	833	9	8	30
Over 65 Years	5,841	13.77%	2,544	3,297	5,272	559	4	3	3
Total	42,424	100.01%	20,927	21,497	37,301	4,886	43	74	120
Percent			49.33%	50.67%	87.92%	11.52%	0.10%	0.17%	0.28%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	81.0%	80.5%	80.5%	82.0%	83.1%	86.2%	NA	56
Low birth-weight babies	8.9%	8.6%	7.6%	9.3%	8.5%	6.8%	NA	56
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	8.9	12.3	2.2	10.1	4.2	8.7	NA	91
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	27%	23%	17%	22%	20%	26%	NA	87
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	4.2	2.2	1.2	1.5	1.6	1.3	NA	5
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	27.4	40.6	53.4	26.7	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	87%	88%	85%	88%	89%	90%	NA	27
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	65%	63%	67%	65%	62%	61%	NA	86
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	6%	6%	8%	5%	7%	6%	NA	102
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.76	4.17	2.08	2.4	NA	42
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	20.2	28.7	28.5	21.6	15.6	26.4	NA	61
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	6.0	3.9	5.3	9.5	NA	134
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	8.2	6.4	2.9	2.7	NA	82
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	158.3	31.2	61.3	29.8	89.3	89.3	NA	51
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	9,537.0	6,460.3	8,306.0	8,574.0	NA	91
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	2	1	0	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	188.7	0.0	246.9	59.8	0.0	59.8	NA	93
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	14	17	15	13	38	30	31	49
Children whose parents divorced	1.0%	1.1%	1.3%	0.9%	1.0%	NA	NA	17
Births out of wedlock	23.9%	26.5%	25.4%	28.9%	26.4%	25.1	NA	49
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	8.70%	6.10%	4.20%	4.80%	5.50%	5.0%	NA	69
Average per capita income	$14,230	$15,119	$15,507	$16,123	$16,785	NA	NA	105
Fiscal stress level	NA	162.46	162.28	162.40	161.56	NA	NA	46
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	23%	26%	27%	28%	30%	31%	NA	54
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	31.8	39.4	40.8	39.3	40.8	41.2	35.1	48
Average daily school membership	6,148	6,282	6,371	6,386	6,576	6,727	NA	95
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	68.9	67.9	68.4	68.7	68.7	69.1	NA	30
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	625	853	895	43

FREDERICK

Square miles: 414.58 Population per square mile: 120.41

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	720	1.44%	373	347	693	14	0	4	9
1 - 4 Years	3,031	6.07%	1,539	1,492	2,926	69	2	16	18
5 - 11 Years	5,304	10.63%	2,794	2,510	5,092	107	10	36	59
12 - 14 Years	2,136	4.28%	1,091	1,045	2,037	54	4	25	16
15 - 17 Years	2,036	4.08%	1,082	954	1,944	67	2	17	6
18 - 44 Years	20,776	41.62%	10,311	10,465	20,021	435	44	95	181
45 - 64 Years	10,947	21.93%	5,546	5,401	10,688	143	10	42	64
Over 65 Years	4,969	9.95%	2,216	2,753	4,874	73	10	4	8
Total	49,919	100.00%	24,952	24,967	48,275	962	82	239	361
Percent			49.98%	50.02%	96.71%	1.93%	0.16%	0.48%	0.72%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	82.8%	88.7%	89.5%	90.1%	88.9%	94.1%	NA	4
Low birth-weight babies	6.3%	7.5%	6.8%	6.2%	6.3%	6.4%	NA	41
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	4.4	4.2	5.7	12.7	5.7	10.3	NA	98
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	33%	30%	26%	25%	31%	29%	NA	73
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	2.5	3.4	3.5	4.2	5.8	4.9	NA	57
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	50.3	0.0	9.7	0.0	28.7	28.7	NA	85

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	87%	85%	85%	88%	91%	90%	NA	27
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	75%	66%	75%	76%	69%	71%	NA	47
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	6%	5%	6%	7%	7%	5%	NA	81
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.49	1.20	1.92	4.1	NA	64
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	17.7	23.1	38.9	34.6	31.4	30.4	NA	69
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.7	3.2	5.0	6.0	NA	123
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.4	2.1	1.6	2.0	NA	66
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	25.3	49.4	215.7	143.8	24.0	NA	28
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	3,905.1	4,554.2	3,595.4	4,722.0	NA	46
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	1	0	0	1	0	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	52.0	0.0	0.0	49.1	49.1	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	41	50	44	28	36	45	43	37
Children whose parents divorced	1.6%	1.4%	1.3%	1.3%	0.7%	NA	NA	4
Births out of wedlock	22.5%	20.5%	24.4%	24.9%	25.1%	25.1%	NA	50
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	7.60%	7.70%	5.10%	4.40%	4.40%	4.2%	NA	53
Average per capita income	$17,515	$18,162	$18,812	$19,699	$20,960	NA	NA	40
Fiscal stress level	NA	158.51	158.21	160.91	160.42	NA	NA	41
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	11%	13%	14%	16%	16%	16%	NA	9
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	16.0	17.9	19.0	18.4	19.1	17.7	9.4	3
Average daily school membership	8,201	8,427	8,642	8,974	9,154	9,559	NA	108
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	68.4	71.7	68	71.4	71.9	72.6	NA	52
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	1,114	1,137	1,171	40

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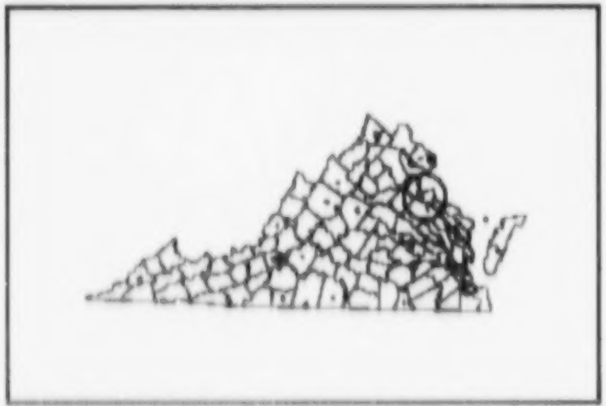

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	359	1.65%	183	176	207	125	0	4	23
1 - 4 Years	1,116	5.14%	584	532	699	340	2	23	52
5 - 11 Years	1,485	6.84%	745	740	929	494	0	16	46
12 - 14 Years	583	2.68%	261	322	342	217	0	6	18
15 - 17 Years	608	2.80%	336	272	373	202	1	8	24
18 - 44 Years	10,765	49.56%	5,050	5,715	7,926	2,396	19	154	270
45 - 64 Years	3,607	16.61%	1,659	1,948	2,717	827	4	15	44
Over 65 Years	3,199	14.73%	1,159	2,040	2,699	474	3	6	17
Total	21,722	100.01%	9,977	11,745	15,892	5,075	29	232	494
Percent			45.93%	54.07%	73.15%	23.36%	0.13%	1.07%	2.27%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	82.4%	82.4%	84.1%	80.9%	80.0%	85.5%	NA	61
Low birth-weight babies	7.4%	9.0%	6.5%	7.2%	9.4%	11.0%	NA	125
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	10.4	13.4	4.9	9.4	2.1	7.5	NA	84
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	25%	30%	29%	32%	36%	31%	NA	56
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	12.2	11.4	17.0	17.8	14.2	10.8	NA	112
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	34.7	33.0	32.1	62.8	62.8	31.4	NA	89

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	80%	69%	70%	71%	56%	71%	NA	119
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	66%	57%	60%	55%	64%	75%	NA	31
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	5%	4%	4%	4%	4%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	34.93	36.10	40.30	35.3	NA	133
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	152.3	125.5	110.3	114.0	110.3	62.5	NA	126
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.5	0.0	1.9	0.9	NA	16
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	5.4	2.9	1.9	4.1	NA	113
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	574.7	452.9	524.0	167.9	251.9	419.8	NA	106
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	15,283.8	20,990.8	31,402.2	37,951.3	NA	131
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	1	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	353.4	0.0	164.5	164.5	0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	39	27	23	36	37	39	38	40
Children whose parents divorced	1.8%	2.4%	2.1%	3.4%	2.8%	NA	NA	132
Births out of wedlock	34.9%	38.3%	38.3%	41.5%	45.3%	42.6%	NA	108
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	8.10%	9.10%	5.90%	4.50%	4.10%	3.9%	NA	43
Average per capita income	$18,485	$18,949	$19,841	$20,977	$22,430	NA	NA	29
Fiscal stress level	NA	172.27	174.08	172.46	174.10	NA	NA	112
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	36%	40%	47%	48%	47%	48%	NA	106
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	89.6	109.5	132.0	130.1	127.9	113.9	86.2	106
Average daily school membership	2,134	2,047	2,041	2,052	2,124	2,194	NA	35
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	79.1	81.9	82.1	83.9	81.1	88.6	NA	128
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	752	1,510	2,363	23

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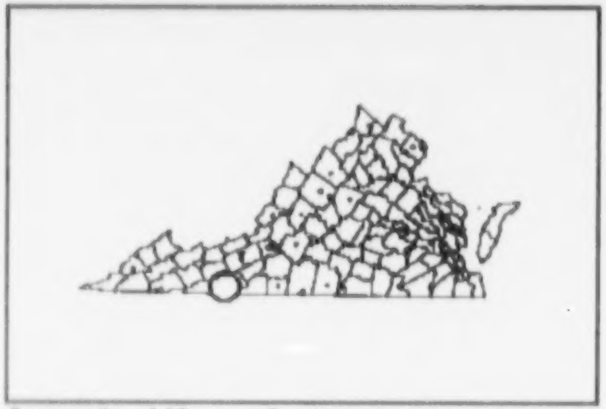

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Data are combined for Galax City, Carroll County, and Grayson County for children whose parents divorced.

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	93	1.38%	45	48	78	13	0	0	2
1 - 4 Years	360	5.35%	178	182	309	39	1	0	11
5 - 11 Years	521	7.74%	246	275	477	39	1	0	4
12 - 14 Years	218	3.24%	120	98	206	12	0	0	0
15 - 17 Years	229	3.40%	120	109	204	23	2	0	0
18 - 44 Years	2,288	33.99%	1,091	1,197	2,076	164	4	9	35
45 - 64 Years	1,580	23.47%	746	834	1,510	57	0	6	7
Over 65 Years	1,442	21.42%	494	948	1,391	46	0	0	5
Total	6,731	99.99%	3,040	3,691	6,251	393	8	15	64
Percent			45.16%	54.84%	92.87%	5.84%	0.12%	0.22%	0.95%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	74.4%	85.4%	91.6%	82.1%	83.1%	76.2%	NA	118
Low birth-weight babies	2.3%	4.5%	4.2%	4.8%	9.0%	10.5%	NA	121
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	0.0	0.0	10.5	11.9	11.2	19.0	NA	126
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	20%	30%	46%	59%	49%	44%	NA	10
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	22.3	17.1	12.1	7.0	4.9	4.9	NA	58
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	90.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	91.0	NA	125

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	89%	93%	81%	85%	84%	81%	NA	77
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	70%	60%	60%	56%	70%	61%	NA	86
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	5%	5%	3%	4%	2%	NA	9
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	6.91	13.42	2.24	0.0	NA	1
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	73.4	56.6	28.3	36.7	64.2	18.3	NA	25
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.7	0.0	0.8	1.6	NA	37
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	12.1	0.0	1.7	2.5	NA	74
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	223.7	671.1	NA	116
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	14,055.3	17,449.7	23,266.2	16,778.5	NA	115
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	1	0	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	436.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	10	9	9	9	6	7	8	100
Children whose parents divorced	1.5%	1.5%	1.4%	1.6%	1.7%	NA	NA	106
Births out of wedlock	40.7%	33.7%	37.9%	38.1%	37.1%	46.7%	NA	116
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	8.00%	6.60%	4.20%	4.10%	4.00%	4.7%	NA	65
Average per capita income	$12,991	$13,811	$14,187	$14,972	$15,905	NA	NA	115
Fiscal stress level	NA	181.80	178.46	176.88	178.51	NA	NA	126
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	30%	34%	33%	37%	35%	36%	NA	77
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	133.0	143.5	136.3	130.9	123.9	115.4	105.6	117
Average daily school membership	1,186	1,148	1,157	1,189	1,208	1,219	NA	13
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	67.4	69.3	67.1	68.1	70.6	70.1	NA	37
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	442	459	495	66

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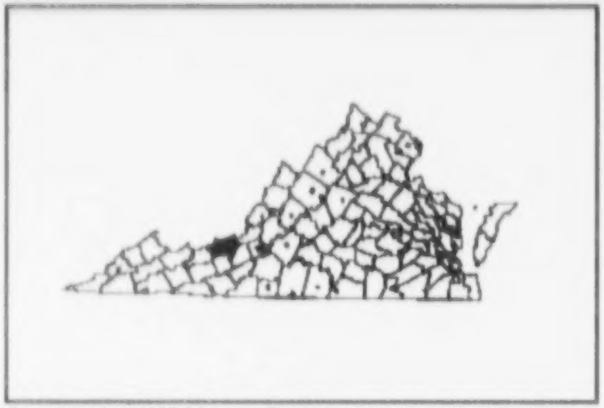

Square miles: 357.90 Population per square mile: 45.87

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	165	1.01%	92	73	160	5	0	0	0
1 - 4 Years	757	4.61%	380	377	732	18	0	1	6
5 - 11 Years	1,325	8.07%	685	640	1,303	15	1	0	6
12 - 14 Years	653	3.98%	347	306	636	11	0	4	2
15 - 17 Years	688	4.19%	357	331	674	11	0	2	1
18 - 44 Years	5,970	36.36%	3,005	2,965	5,825	111	3	8	23
45 - 64 Years	3,939	23.99%	1,949	1,990	3,849	69	3	7	11
Over 65 Years	2,920	17.79%	1,179	1,741	2,853	54	2	4	7
Total	16,417	100.00%	7,994	8,423	16,032	294	9	26	56
Percent			48.69%	51.31%	97.65%	1.79%	0.05%	0.16%	0.34%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	70.0%	77.1%	76.2%	78.3%	71.5%	79.3%	NA	103
Low birth-weight babies	6.1%	6.7%	4.3%	6.5%	8.3%	6.5%	NA	42
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	0.0	5.6	0.0	5.4	20.7	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	31%	34%	28%	31%	25%	35%	NA	40
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	16.6	8.6	13.6	15.3	15.3	7.8	NA	86
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	36.4	36.2	36.4	0.0	36.6	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	79%	77%	72%	82%	86%	82%	NA	68
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	64%	54%	56%	56%	49%	75%	NA	31
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	2%	4%	3%	3%	4%	3%	NA	24
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.51	1.49	3.73	3.7	NA	59
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	36.1	12.1	39.8	33.2	45.3	27.2	NA	63
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.0	3.1	5.1	3.5	NA	87
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.0	0.4	2.3	1.6	NA	55
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	75.4	0.0	75.3	74.6	74.6	223.7	NA	79
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	4,367.5	3,728.6	3,281.1	1,193.1	NA	10
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	2	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	290.7	0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	24	17	19	22	18	15	16	77
Children whose parents divorced	1.1%	2.1%	2.0%	1.3%	2.4%	NA	NA	126
Births out of wedlock	22.2%	24.0%	22.7%	26.6%	26.9%	21.2%	NA	25
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	10.50%	8.80%	7.70%	7.10%	7.20%	7.0%	NA	98
Average per capita income	$14,582	$15,039	$15,351	$15,934	$16,993	NA	NA	101
Fiscal stress level	NA	165.90	165.48	167.19	166.30	NA	NA	76
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	26%	30%	31%	30%	31%	30%	NA	51
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	43.4	45.0	48.1	44.0	42.9	36.2	33.4	42
Average daily school membership	2,647	2,631	2,453	2,566	2,555	2,567	NA	45
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	68.3	68.1	72.5	69.9	71.4	73.0	NA	56
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	272	275	287	86

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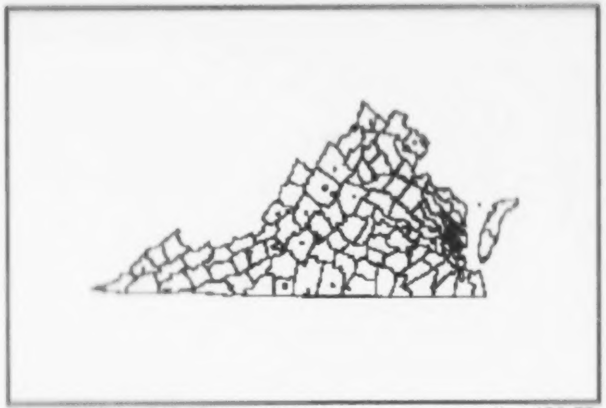

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	419	1.28%	217	202	368	39	0	8	4
1 - 4 Years	2,041	6.25%	1,063	978	1,768	226	1	24	22
5 - 11 Years	3,542	10.85%	1,813	1,729	3,075	382	5	32	48
12 - 14 Years	1,484	4.54%	770	714	1,264	180	4	6	30
15 - 17 Years	1,327	4.06%	672	655	1,139	157	6	7	18
18 - 44 Years	13,270	40.63%	6,567	6,703	11,551	1,426	36	103	154
45 - 64 Years	6,736	20.63%	3,358	3,378	5,897	774	17	19	29
Over 65 Years	3,840	11.76%	1,635	2,205	3,059	750	7	8	16
Total	32,659	100.00%	16,095	16,564	28,121	3,934	76	207	321
Percent			49.28%	50.72%	86.10%	12.05%	0.23%	0.63%	0.98%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	79.6%	81.7%	84.5%	82.5%	83.1%	83.9%	NA	77
Low birth-weight babies	6.3%	8.3%	5.7%	8.7%	8.8%	5.6%	NA	22
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	9.0	4.6	7.7	6.8	12.6	2.6	NA	49
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	43%	44%	53%	33%	31%	30%	NA	63
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	7.4	8.1	9.7	9.1	7.8	4.9	NA	56
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	14.6	14.2	14.2	28.3	28.3	NA	83

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	88%	93%	90%	86%	85%	84%	NA	58
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	69%	59%	70%	79%	67%	69%	NA	55
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	6%	6%	6%	5%	5%	5%	NA	81
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.26	8.89	3.56	2.8	NA	47
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	27.5	24.0	23.3	32.1	24.4	32.1	NA	75
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.6	4.3	5.7	6.3	NA	125
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.5	4.2	2.7	2.9	NA	92
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	375.2	144.9	249.0	106.7	213.4	NA	78
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	6,956.5	6,332.3	7,079.3	6,118.8	NA	78
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	1	2	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	76.9	0.0	150.7	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	16	12	20	23	27	24	29	51
Children whose parents divorced	1.6%	2.1%	1.5%	2.0%	1.6%	NA	NA	94
Births out of wedlock	22.2%	25.5%	21.4%	29.6%	28.0%	27.6%	NA	1
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	4.50%	4.90%	4.50%	4.50%	3.70%	3.70%	NA	36
Average per capita income	$16,344	$17,065	$17,106	$17,712	$19,074	NA	NA	65
Fiscal stress level	NA	162.93	162.58	163.73	162.93	NA	NA	52
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	17%	24%	24%	25%	19%	26%	NA	38
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	48.2	51.2	49.2	48.9	48.6	43.2	39.0	55
Average daily school membership	5,748	5,870	6,047	6,211	6,349	6,528	NA	94
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	70.2	72.8	67	68.2	69.5	68.6	NA	27
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	960	914	800	51

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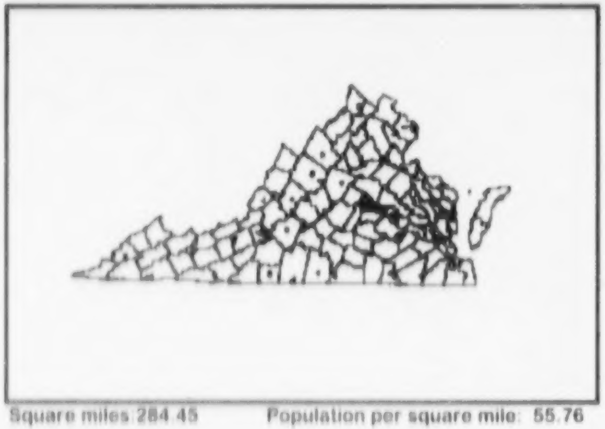

Square miles 284.45 Population per square mile: 55.76

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	200	1.26%	101	99	138	62	0	0	0
1 - 4 Years	786	4.96%	397	389	604	180	2	0	0
5 - 11 Years	1,286	8.11%	645	641	882	394	0	6	4
12 - 14 Years	511	3.22%	273	238	328	181	0	1	1
15 - 17 Years	563	3.55%	312	251	349	212	0	2	0
18 - 44 Years	6,872	43.33%	3,328	3,544	4,554	2,283	10	16	9
45 - 64 Years	3,825	24.12%	1,884	1,941	2,767	1,045	2	5	6
Over 65 Years	1,818	11.46%	809	1,009	1,205	604	3	4	2
Total	15,861	100.01%	7,749	8,112	10,827	4,961	17	34	22
Percent			48.86%	5114%	68.26%	31.28%	0.11%	0.21%	0.14%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	93.6%	94.4%	86.2%	90.3%	93.2%	93.7%	NA	6
Low birth-weight babies	6.9%	5.6%	8.8%	8.4%	8.5%	6.3%	NA	40
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	16.0	16.9	5.5	13.0	5.6	5.7	NA	72
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	37%	16%	27%	26%	27%	29%	NA	73
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	6.4	7.5	2.5	4.2	8.4	2.4	NA	15
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	39.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	96%	88%	91%	81%	91%	94%	NA	8
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	76%	48%	70%	71%	54%	62%	NA	84
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	6%	5%	5%	4%	5%	NA	81
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.94	3.72	1.86	1.9	NA	39
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	13.3	25.8	20.9	12.0	8.0	15.9	NA	20
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.5	1.7	2.3	1.1	NA	21
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.1	2.9	0.6	1.1	NA	35
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	93.1	186.2	NA	70
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	6,219.6	3,072.6	4,376.2	4,934.8	NA	51
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	1	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	380.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	8	5	4	2	5	12	10	92
Children whose parents divorced	1.2%	1.6%	1.6%	1.2%	0.8%	NA	NA	8
Births out of wedlock	22.9%	22.6%	22.7%	17.5%	21.5%	20.1%	NA	21
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	5.20%	6.10%	4.30%	3.70%	2.90%	2.5%	NA	5
Average per capita income	$24,000	$25,023	$26,179	$27,469	$28,687	NA	NA	9
Fiscal stress level	NA	152.25	150.31	151.46	150.51	NA	NA	10
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	19%	21%	24%	23%	22%	22%	NA	29
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	41.3	43.1	41.7	41.8	45.1	35.3	25.4	28
Average daily school membership	1,663	1,715	1,712	1,734	1,772	1,873	NA	30
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	82.5	93.9	97.5	97.8	85.4	81.8	NA	115
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	407	416	460	67

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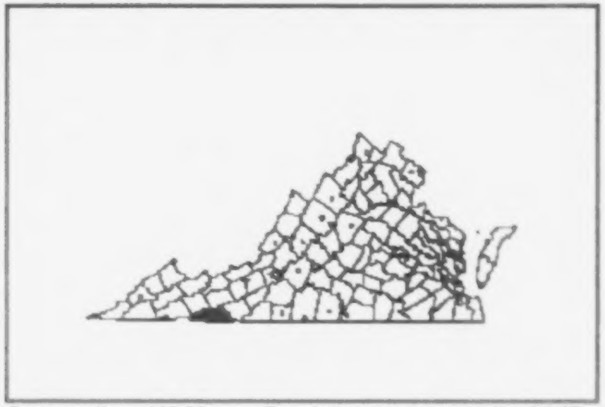

Square miles: 442.66 Population per square mile: 36.37

Data are combined for Grayson County, Carroll County, and Galax City for children whose parents divorced.

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	184	1.14%	92	92	171	10	0	0	3
1 - 4 Years	716	4.45%	365	351	680	26	3	2	5
5 - 11 Years	1,267	7.87%	675	592	1,213	46	0	0	8
12 - 14 Years	626	3.89%	327	299	604	16	0	1	5
15 - 17 Years	761	4.73%	390	371	711	35	0	4	11
18 - 44 Years	5,766	35.81%	2,945	2,821	5,546	172	5	8	35
45 - 64 Years	3,955	24.57%	1,866	2,089	3,839	100	7	3	6
Over 65 Years	2,825	17.55%	1,181	1,644	2,728	94	3	0	0
Total	16,100	100.01%	7,841	8,259	15,492	499	18	18	73
Percent			48.70%	51.30%	96.22%	3.10%	0.11%	0.11%	0.45%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	81.5%	81.9%	85.6%	80.9%	88.2%	86.6%	NA	54
Low birth-weight babies	6.0%	6.8%	9.4%	6.6%	5.9%	5.8%	NA	25
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	0.0	0.0	12.5	0.0	5.9	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	23%	29%	27%	27%	27%	20%	NA	115
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	13.0	14.2	8.4	12.4	14.1	10.1	NA	107
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	75.8	38.1	0.0	38.3	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	83%	83%	89%	82%	83%	78%	NA	88
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	57%	57%	74%	73%	68%	69%	NA	55
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	3%	3%	3%	3%	4%	3%	NA	24
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.46	0.72	2.88	0.0	NA	1
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	18.7	29.5	35.3	37.7	21.6	32.3	NA	77
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.5	0.0	0.0	3.1	NA	75
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	5.1	1.8	1.4	4.4	NA	119
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	216.3	0.0	NA	1
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	3,784.6	2,595.5	3,460.7	2,379.2	NA	21
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	1	0	0	1	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	12	13	15	16	11	17	20	67
Children whose parents divorced	1.5%	1.5%	1.4%	1.6%	1.7%	NA	NA	106
Births out of wedlock	18.5%	22.6%	16.3%	22.4%	19.4%	25.0%	NA	46
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	9.40%	7.30%	5.00%	4.50%	5.20%	6.8%	NA	95
Average per capita income	$12,358	$13,311	$13,937	$14,765	$15,372	NA	NA	124
Fiscal stress level	NA	170.76	169.26	169.45	169.49	NA	NA	92
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	41%	41%	43%	43%	43%	44%	NA	96
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	36.9	45.9	53.5	55.4	43.3	41.4	42.8	60
Average daily school membership	2,201	2,205	2,165	2,204	2,206	2,262	NA	38
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	76.1	70	74.7	78.4	81.5	83.3	NA	121
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	112	132	180	106

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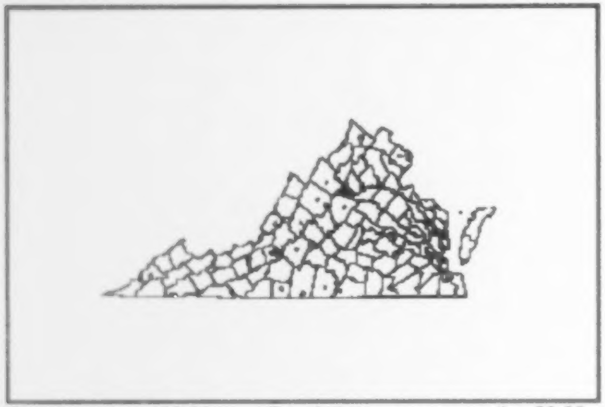

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	210	1.67%	111	99	192	15	0	1	2
1 - 4 Years	836	6.65%	431	405	778	49	0	2	7
5 - 11 Years	1,327	10.56%	697	630	1,167	149	1	4	6
12 - 14 Years	570	4.53%	316	254	492	69	0	7	2
15 - 17 Years	452	3.60%	238	214	421	30	0	0	1
18 - 44 Years	5,379	42.80%	2,592	2,787	4,990	341	9	10	29
45 - 64 Years	2,544	20.24%	1,258	1,286	2,398	136	3	4	3
Over 65 Years	1,251	9.95%	583	668	1,178	65	0	3	5
Total	12,569	100.00%	6,226	6,343	11,616	854	13	31	55
Percent			49.53%	50.47%	92.42%	6.79%	0.10%	0.25%	0.44%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	80.3%	87.0%	85.8%	86.8%	88.2%	84.1%	NA	76
Low birth-weight babies	6.6%	5.6%	5.7%	9.6%	5.9%	5.5%	NA	19
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	8.8	11.3	0.0	4.6	4.9	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	29%	14%	22%	24%	21%	22%	NA	106
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	6.1	5.8	8.8	5.6	6.2	8.8	NA	94
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	40.1	0.0	0.0	36.6	36.6	NA	99

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	80%	77%	76%	73%	80%	77%	NA	96
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	54%	55%	58%	59%	49%	50%	NA	119
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	2%	5%	8%	7%	6%	8%	NA	124
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	6.13	8.81	4.89	3.9	NA	61
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	37.6	15.4	19.5	14.0	42.1	23.4	NA	47
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	5.4	0.0	2.3	1.3	NA	29
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.5	1.4	1.4	3.6	NA	105
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	108.9	0.0	489.2	391.4	587.1	NA	113
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	4,085.8	3,816.0	2,837.6	3,816.0	NA	38
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	1	0	1	1	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	221.2	221.2	221.2	NA	127
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	10	10	9	6	6	9	6	104
Children whose parents divorced	0.6%	1.0%	1.4%	1.7%	1.8%	NA	NA	117
Births out of wedlock	22.8%	19.8%	27.3%	20.1%	29.6%	22.4%	NA	33
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	7.80%	6.50%	4.00%	3.90%	2.90%	3.1%	NA	24
Average per capita income	$14,090	$14,337	$14,455	$15,012	$15,900	NA	NA	117
Fiscal stress level	NA	162.79	162.84	162.38	162.13	NA	NA	50
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	22%	25%	27%	29%	26%	24%	NA	32
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	46.2	41.9	43.3	42.1	38.9	39.2	28.3	36
Average daily school membership	1,807	1,876	2,027	2,141	2,203	2,239	NA	37
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	69.2	80.5	93.7	78.9	77.5	81.4	NA	112
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	265	314	350	78

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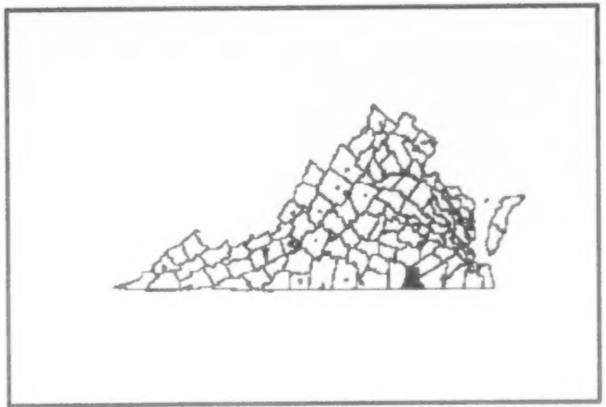
Data are combined for Greensville County and Emporia City for: middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests, founded cases of child abuse or neglect, 4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile, 6th graders passing all three Literacy Passport Tests, 9th - 12th graders who dropped out of school, incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school, incidents of students possessing weapons in school, foster care out-of-home placements, children whose parents divorced, students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program, children receiving TANF, average daily school membership, and instructional personnel rate.



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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	131	1.22%	67	64	51	80	0	0	0
1 - 4 Years	605	5.63%	317	288	216	382	4	2	1
5 - 11 Years	1,068	9.93%	547	521	368	698	0	2	0
12 - 14 Years	586	5.45%	323	263	205	377	0	3	1
15 - 17 Years	538	5.00%	266	272	197	337	0	3	1
18 - 44 Years	3,918	36.45%	1,853	2,065	1,574	2,321	3	11	9
45 - 64 Years	2,437	22.67%	1,142	1,295	1,200	1,223	5	5	4
Over 65 Years	1,467	13.65%	595	872	712	749	0	0	6
Total	10,750	100.00%	5,110	5,640	4,523	6,167	12	26	22
Percent			47.53%	52.47%	42.07%	57.37%	0.11%	0.24%	0.20%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	66.9%	63.8%	67.0%	71.6%	67.0%	67.9%	NA	134
Low birth-weight babies	8.9%	5.4%	11.9%	9.8%	12.4%	12.8%	NA	133
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	8.1	23.1	0.0	9.8	10.3	27.5	NA	132
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	15%	19%	28%	62%	51%	40%	NA	19
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	1.7	2.5	2.3	2.1	2.1	1.1	NA	1
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	47.1	0.0	43.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	66%	69%	68%	71%	71%	74%	NA	112
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	47%	44%	48%	51%	40%	63%	NA	78
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	5%	4%	5%	5%	4%	5%	NA	81
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.00	0.00	3.56	0.00	NA	1
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	32.3	43.8	29.3	14.7	36.8	14.7	NA	17
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.7	0.0	1.9	1.8	NA	41
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.5	4.4	4.1	3.7	NA	107
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	3,368.8	2,135.2	4,448.4	1,779.4	NA	14
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	2	0	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	202.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	8	6	3	3	6	7	8	100
Children whose parents divorced	1.5%	1.2%	1.1%	1.2%	1.1%	NA	NA	33
Births out of wedlock	54.0%	49.2%	55.0%	45.1%	49.5%	51.4%	NA	123
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	8.30%	7.30%	6.30%	5.40%	5.80%	5.3%	NA	78
Average per capita income	$13,924	$13,614	$14,010	$15,195	$15,447	NA	NA	121
Fiscal stress level	NA	174.45	173.75	174.03	174.99	NA	NA	116
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	47%	52%	56%	57%	58%	58%	NA	120
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	131.5	136.8	147.9	149.3	123.1	103.3	63.9	90
Average daily school membership	2,701	2,761	2,737	2,722	2,680	2,734	NA	50
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	68	67.9	70.1	74	81.5	75.7	NA	76
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	130	120	70	129

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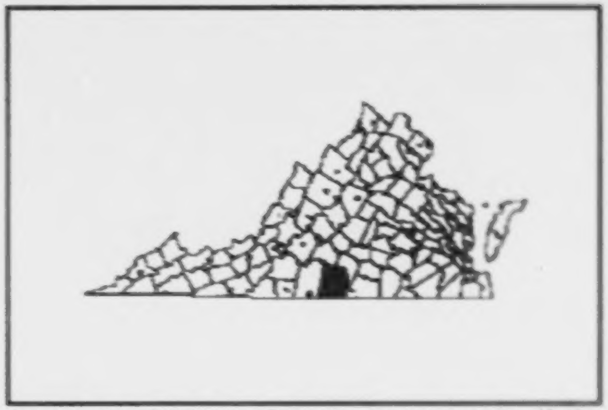

Square miles: 819.34 Population per square mile: 45.46

A weighted average was used to estimate data for the merger of South Boston City into Halifax County for: unemployment rate, average per capita income, and fiscal stress level.

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	418	1.12%	207	211	214	199	0	1	4
1 - 4 Years	1,754	4.71%	894	860	957	786	2	2	7
5 - 11 Years	3,489	9.37%	1,782	1,707	1,712	1,750	4	7	16
12 - 14 Years	1,679	4.51%	847	832	847	824	5	2	1
15 - 17 Years	1,655	4.44%	842	813	806	834	5	4	6
18 - 44 Years	13,353	35.85%	6,560	6,793	7,413	5,841	35	19	45
45 - 64 Years	8,323	22.34%	3,922	4,401	5,530	2,739	20	20	14
Over 65 Years	6,577	17.66%	2,583	3,994	4,397	2,12	15	2	21
Total	37,248	100.00%	17,637	19,611	21,876	15,115	86	57	114
Percent			47.35%	52.65%	58.73%	40.58%	0.23%	0.15%	0.31%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	65.0%	64.5%	65.4%	63.4%	66.3%	64.6%	NA	135
Low birth-weight babies	6.5%	10.1%	7.6%	9.5%	10.0%	9.9%	NA	116
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	9.9	6.4	6.0	6.3	6.8	11.2	NA	101
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	30%	29%	29%	26%	28%	16%	NA	127
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	6.2	3.7	6.7	6.9	9.4	7.0	NA	80
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	73.9	29.2	58.0	86.7	14.4	57.8	NA	114

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	86%	86%	85%	84%	85%	82%	NA	68
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	73%	53%	65%	69%	55%	65%	NA	72
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	5%	7%	8%	8%	10%	10%	NA	133
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.45	5.10	5.40	9.9	NA	93
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	37.8	37.1	41.6	29.5	27.1	38.1	NA	92
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.3	3.2	2.3	1.1	NA	23
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.5	2.9	1.1	1.4	NA	52
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	222.4	186.5	122.4	180.0	90.0	30.0	NA	30
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	13,157.9	5,578.9	7,168.6	5,338.9	NA	57
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	2	1	3	2	0	2	NA	113
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	127.2	0.0	0.0	60.4	0.0	120.8	NA	111
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	12	10	16	15	21	17	24	63
Children whose parents divorced	2.2%	1.3%	1.4%	1.7%	1.4%	NA	NA	70
Births out of wedlock	41.3%	39.2%	41.8%	42.4%	39.6%	45.3%	NA	113
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	8.80%	8.60%	6.90%	6.60%	7.40%	11.1%	NA	129
Average per capita income	$13,886	$14,457	$14,727	$15,329	$15,624	NA	NA	120
Fiscal stress level	NA	168.68	167.22	166.31	163.69	NA	NA	55
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	40%	40%	35%	42%	42%	44%	NA	96
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	86.4	95.5	91.8	92.7	84.9	79.5	65.8	92
Average daily school membership	6,567	6,466	6,472	6,474	6,474	6,361	NA	93
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	50.3	38.9	42.9	39.2	39	79.4	NA	98
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	421	375	320	82

HAMPTON

Square miles: 51.82   Population per square mile: 2,694.53

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	2,077	1.49%	1,088	989	1,092	854	5	58	68
1 - 4 Years	8,830	6.32%	4,447	4,383	4,670	3,686	11	224	239
5 - 11 Years	13,644	9.77%	6,964	6,680	6,895	6,120	33	285	311
12 - 14 Years	5,458	3.91%	2,730	2,728	2,598	2,592	23	152	93
15 - 17 Years	5,161	3.70%	2,582	2,579	2,470	2,479	17	118	77
18 - 44 Years	63,955	45.80%	31,639	32,316	34,232	26,938	206	1,401	1,178
45 - 64 Years	26,780	19.18%	12,752	14,028	16,191	9,659	93	565	272
Over 65 Years	13,726	9.83%	5,581	8,145	9,164	4,315	40	107	100
Total	139,631	100.00%	67,783	71,848	77,312	56,643	428	2,910	2,338
Percent			48.54%	51.46%	55.37%	40.57%	0.31%	2.08%	1.67%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	74.5%	75.0%	74.7%	77.4%	78.3%	80.3%	NA	96
Low birth-weight babies	7.4%	7.9%	7.8%	9.1%	8.5%	8.3%	NA	89
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	16.5	13.0	15.7	8.5	9.6	7.2	NA	79
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	17%	24%	21%	24%	26%	30%	NA	63
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	6.1	7.3	6.5	5.7	5.1	5.5	NA	63
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	29.5	18.2	17.9	32.2	25.1	10.7	NA	53

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	81%	82%	82%	81%	82%	80%	NA	80
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	70%	61%	65%	63%	56%	59%	NA	95
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	5%	5%	6%	6%	6%	7%	NA	118
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	9.72	11.96	9.61	6.7	NA	79
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	43.6	42.1	46.5	48.5	44.6	45.0	NA	105
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.2	2.5	4.0	4.6	NA	107
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.6	2.7	2.9	3.1	NA	95
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	522.5	304.8	644.7	762.8	725.1	687.4	NA	117
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	11,171.0	11,347.6	12,449.4	13,070.9	NA	107
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	4	0	0	1	1	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	20.5	40.4	19.9	19.4	38.8	19.4	NA	78
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	129	150	165	176	178	182	221	9
Children whose parents divorced	1.3%	1.3%	1.3%	1.3%	1.1%	NA	NA	40
Births out of wedlock	32.5%	35.8%	36.1%	38.2%	38.1%	37.5%	NA	95
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	6.00%	7.20%	6.20%	6.20%	5.50%	5.0%	NA	69
Average per capita income	$15,769	$16,458	$16,655	$16,972	$18,221	NA	NA	82
Fiscal stress level	NA	173.12	173.66	174.80	175.37	NA	NA	120
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	26%	29%	32%	35%	37%	38%	NA	84
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	106.7	125.9	133.6	143.0	146.3	133.0	116.0	121
Average daily school membership	21,332	21,912	22,715	22,918	23,290	23,600	NA	125
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	67	66.2	65.8	66.4	67.2	67.3	NA	16
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	4,760	5,088	5,418	12

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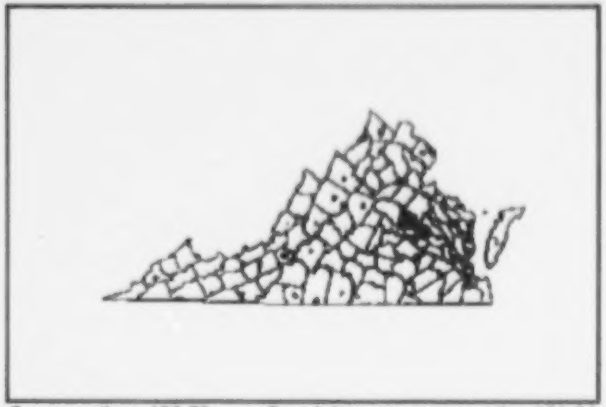

Square miles: 472.76 Population per square mile: 151.34

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	913	1.28%	462	451	794	104	2	6	7
1 - 4 Years	3,970	5.55%	2,010	1,960	3,494	418	5	22	31
5 - 11 Years	6,988	9.77%	3,560	3,428	6,135	793	12	24	24
12 - 14 Years	2,970	4.15%	1,572	1,398	2,537	396	12	13	12
15 - 17 Years	2,864	4.00%	1,538	1,326	2,381	443	5	21	14
18 - 44 Years	29,487	41.21%	14,443	15,044	26,059	3,024	65	148	191
45 - 64 Years	16,443	22.98%	8,154	8,289	14,616	1,677	43	59	48
Over 65 Years	7,914	11.06%	3,283	4,631	6,867	1,002	10	7	28
Total	71,549	100.00%	35,022	36,527	62,883	7,857	154	300	355
Percent			48.95%	51.05%	87.81%	10.98%	0.22%	0.42%	0.50%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	92.5%	94.9%	91.9%	93.8%	94.9%	95.8%	NA	2
Low birth-weight babies	7.0%	7.1%	6.4%	6.7%	9.5%	8.5%	NA	92
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	11.7	3.3	2.2	5.2	2.1	3.1	NA	52
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	24%	26%	25%	40%	38%	35%	NA	40
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	2.6	3.8	3.8	2.1	3.4	3.0	NA	25
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	23.3	7.5	22.1	21.5	7.2	28.7	NA	86

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	93%	93%	92%	93%	94%	93%	NA	14
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	80%	68%	82%	79%	73%	80%	NA	10
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	3%	2%	1%	1%	1%	2%	NA*	9
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.79	3.09	6.17	2.9	NA	48
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	13.1	10.4	15.0	14.3	13.6	14.3	NA	16
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.0	2.7	3.3	2.6	NA	58
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.9	1.9	1.4	1.4	NA	53
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	57.0	128.7	214.6	120.0	154.3	68.6	NA	46
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	5,202.9	5,502.2	5,930.8	8,261.9	NA	89
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	2	1	0	3	NA	126
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	72.9	0.0	0.0	34.9	NA	82
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	36	34	31	17	23	20	12	86
Children whose parents divorced	1.3%	1.5%	1.5%	1.3%	1.4%	NA	NA	75
Births out of wedlock	15.4%	14.8%	13.6%	14.4%	15.9%	14.5%	NA	7
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	4.40%	4.90%	3.40%	2.80%	2.20%	2.2%	NA	2
Average per capita income	$19,784	$20,322	$21,277	$22,065	$24,332	NA	NA	19
Fiscal stress level	NA	151.47	150.85	149.80	149.22	NA	NA	8
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	6%	9%	12%	13%	12%	13%	NA	6
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	16.0	19.1	19.1	20.3	19.9	18.2	13.9	8
Average daily school membership	11,323	11,690	12,209	12,825	13,447	14,007	NA	119
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	69.2	69.5	69.9	68.6	68.2	68.0	NA	23
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	4,345	4,771	3,517	18

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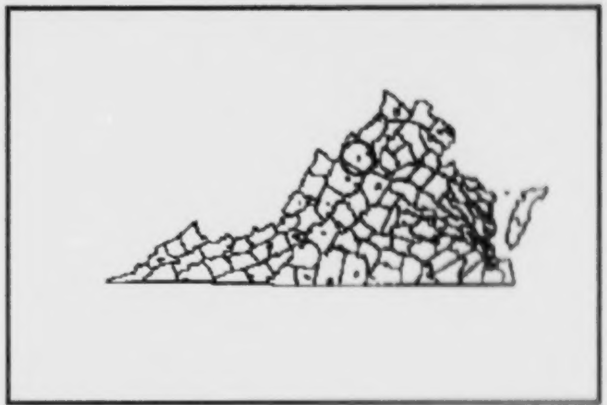

Data are combined for Harrisonburg City and Rockingham County for children whose parents divorced

Square miles: 17.57 Population per square mile: 1,879.73

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	338	1.02%	163	175	282	27	1	17	11
1 - 4 Years	1,351	4.09%	686	665	1,150	114	0	44	43
5 - 11 Years	2,107	6.38%	1,102	1,005	1,819	197	0	52	39
12 - 14 Years	818	2.48%	412	406	706	81	1	10	20
15 - 17 Years	810	2.45%	417	393	698	77	4	14	17
18 - 44 Years	19,141	57.97%	9,007	10,134	16,915	1,499	26	382	319
45 - 64 Years	4,620	13.99%	2,151	2,469	4,325	196	8	52	39
Over 65 Years	3,833	11.61%	1,347	2,486	3,696	114	1	8	14
Total	33,018	99.99%	15,285	17,733	29,591	2,305	41	579	502
Percent			46.29%	53.71%	89.62%	6.98%	0.12%	1.75%	1.52%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	37.5%	41.1%	85.0%	82.4%	84.2%	77.8%	NA	111
Low birth-weight babies	2.9%	4.7%	3.7%	2.9%	8.2%	7.2%	NA	67
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	4.7	3.8	5.8	8.0	5.4	15.0	NA	116
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	21%	28%	27%	21%	23%	26%	NA	87
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	5.2	3.7	4.3	4.6	5.0	7.2	NA	82
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	8.9	35.1	34.6	8.6	0.0	8.6	NA	50

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	87%	89%	86%	85%	88%	86%	NA	48
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	76%	79%	72%	78%	69%	77%	NA	20
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	6%	7%	5%	5%	4%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	12.09	17.81	14.13	15.4	NA	105
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	57.7	48.1	28.9	50.9	53.4	61.1	NA	125
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.1	2.3	3.4	7.7	NA	131
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.6	4.1	3.1	4.6	NA	120
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	65.3	381.9	0.0	122.9	245.7	NA	84
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	15,213.2	15,294.8	16,584.8	13,943.5	NA	110
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	1	1	2	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	246.9	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	32	32	37	36	42	36	34	44
Children whose parents divorced	1.4%	1.6%	1.6%	1.4%	1.4%	NA	NA	71
Births out of wedlock	11.6%	13.4%	28.8%	34.4%	36.1%	32.9%	NA	82
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	5.30%	3.70%	3.00%	2.20%	2.30%	2.5%	NA	5
Average per capita income	$16,655	$17,475	$18,169	$18,993	$19,750	NA	NA	55
Fiscal stress level	NA	169.16	170.43	170.91	171.44	NA	NA	100
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	26%	30%	34%	26%	45%	39%	NA	87
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	72.1	90.2	89.9	97.7	102.1	91.6	67.3	93
Average daily school membership	3,136	3,272	3,394	3,452	3,498	3,515	NA	65
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	79.1	75.9	74	78.9	82.6	84.9	NA	123
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	534	698	834	49

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Square miles: 238.13 Population per square mile: 962.40

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	3,092	1.35%	1,549	1,543	2,133	805	5	104	45
1 - 4 Years	12,552	5.48%	6,312	6,240	8,692	3,297	23	361	179
5 - 11 Years	20,403	8.90%	10,536	9,867	13,823	5,659	45	658	218
12 - 14 Years	8,278	3.61%	4,142	4,136	5,493	2,395	36	256	98
15 - 17 Years	8,200	3.58%	4,226	3,974	5,533	2,239	27	296	105
18 - 44 Years	101,143	44.13%	47,059	54,084	73,032	23,945	339	2,664	1,163
45 - 64 Years	46,000	20.07%	21,237	24,763	36,658	7,920	146	910	366
Over 65 Years	29,507	12.88%	11,276	18,231	26,287	2,820	46	214	140
Total	229,175	100.00%	106,337	122,838	171,651	49,080	667	5,463	2,314
Percent			46.40%	53.60%	74.90%	21.42%	0.29%	2.38%	1.01%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	91.8%	91.7%	87.7%	89.1%	91.4%	92.7%	NA	10
Low birth-weight babies	6.8%	7.6%	7.9%	7.8%	9.0%	8.4%	NA	90
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	12.4	8.0	7.6	8.2	8.5	5.9	NA	74
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	21%	28%	29%	30%	30%	29%	NA	73
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	3.1	3.2	4.3	4.4	4.7	4.7	NA	51
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	10.0	24.8	22.0	21.8	19.4	21.8	NA	71

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	87%	90%	92%	90%	92%	92%	NA	17
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	70%	63%	68%	72%	70%	73%	NA	40
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	3%	4%	5%	5%	5%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.74	3.10	2.91	2.3	NA	41
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	20.9	19.2	18.1	21.9	26.2	17.6	NA	23
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.6	2.6	2.5	2.8	NA	62
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.9	4.3	2.7	2.4	NA	73
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	220.0	235.2	342.1	303.4	436.9	406.6	NA	105
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	10,107.6	11,821.8	14,091.5	35,386.6	NA	130
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	1	2	0	2	4	2	NA	113
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	12.8	38.2	12.5	24.4	36.6	12.2	NA	77
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	88	79	85	66	95	97	84	23
Children whose parents divorced	1.5%	1.7%	1.6%	1.6%	1.6%	NA	NA	93
Births out of wedlock	22.9%	25.2%	26.0%	27.9%	26.0%	25.1%	NA	48
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	4.30%	5.40%	3.90%	3.30%	2.90%	3.0%	NA	21
Average per capita income	$23,571	$24,192	$25,569	$26,661	$28,079	NA	NA	10
Fiscal stress level	NA	159.83	159.09	158.74	158.82	NA	NA	33
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	12%	18%	21%	23%	26%	25%	NA	36
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	39.4	50.7	58.7	62.0	63.3	56.8	46.2	65
Average daily school membership	32,514	33,250	34,211	34,820	35,877	37,106	NA	130
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	70.2	68.7	68.4	67.2	67.0	67.2	NA	14
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	10,881	11,764	12,961	3

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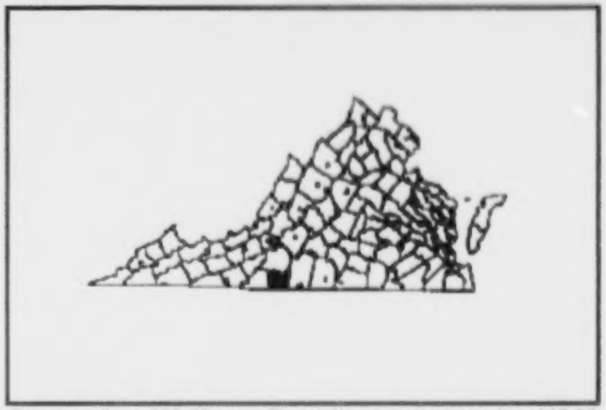

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	696	1.23%	339	357	483	202	1	1	9
1 - 4 Years	2,902	5.13%	1,404	1,498	1,998	860	3	8	33
5 - 11 Years	4,943	8.74%	2,528	2,415	3,438	1,451	10	19	25
12 - 14 Years	2,294	4.05%	1,212	1,082	1,539	738	5	6	6
15 - 17 Years	2,304	4.07%	1,212	1,092	1,593	699	4	5	3
18 - 44 Years	22,248	39.32%	10,938	11,310	16,098	5,974	27	55	94
45 - 64 Years	13,930	24.62%	6,727	7,203	11,139	2,738	10	16	27
Over 65 Years	7,269	12.85%	3,104	4,165	5,985	1,262	2	4	16
Total	56,586	100.01%	27,464	29,122	42,273	13,924	62	114	213
Percent			48.53%	51.47%	74.71%	24.61%	0.11%	0.20%	0.38%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	75.0%	73.4%	76.9%	74.4%	76.8%	75.2%	NA	120
Low birth-weight babies	9.3%	9.5%	7.1%	9.6%	11.0%	8.5%	NA	96
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	15.3	16.5	6.3	6.1	8.1	6.5	NA	76
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	18%	26%	19%	21%	22%	23%	NA	103
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	5.2	5.1	5.7	5.9	6.5	3.7	NA	36
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	29.3	58.6	29.3	29.6	19.7	29.6	NA	88

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	77%	76%	73%	78%	80%	79%	NA	85
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	66%	55%	63%	60%	56%	63%	NA	78
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	5%	6%	7%	7%	6%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.28	4.57	3.70	3.7	NA	57
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	37.9	30.5	33.3	37.5	29.3	32.1	NA	74
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.8	2.9	4.1	3.6	NA	89
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.4	3.6	3.9	4.1	NA	112
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	177.3	110.1	87.6	152.2	261.0	304.5	NA	94
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	6,021.5	4,893.4	5,415.4	5,197.9	NA	54
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	2	3	2	0	2	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	87.7	43.8	87.7	86.8	86.8	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	36	25	23	29	24	23	22	65
Children whose parents divorced	2.0%	1.9%	2.2%	2.0%	1.8%	NA	NA	114
Births out of wedlock	32.1%	32.9%	34.3%	34.9%	36.9%	36.9%	NA	91
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	10.50%	7.20%	5.60%	7.80%	8.40%	7.1%	NA	101
Average per capita income	$16,669	$17,490	$17,764	$18,821	$19,350	NA	NA	59
Fiscal stress level	NA	167.82	167.06	167.27	166.83	NA	NA	80
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	24%	24%	26%	27%	29%	32%	NA	59
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	56.4	65.9	62.3	62.5	60.4	55.4	40.9	58
Average daily school membership	9,023	9,017	9,032	8,988	8,990	9,066	NA	105
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	75.9	74.9	76.6	77.1	79.6	80.2	NA	102
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	1,514	1,542	1,535	31

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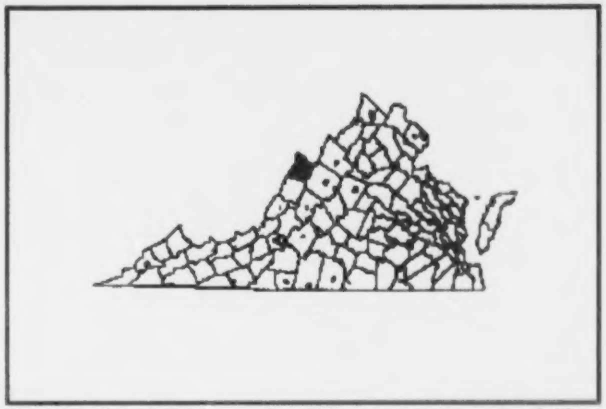

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	24	0.94%	11	13	24	0	0	0	0
1 - 4 Years	114	4.45%	56	58	114	0	0	0	0
5 - 11 Years	234	9.14%	135	99	233	0	0	0	1
12 - 14 Years	95	3.71%	42	53	94	0	0	0	1
15 - 17 Years	73	2.85%	35	38	73	0	0	0	0
18 - 44 Years	857	33.48%	441	416	853	1	0	2	1
45 - 64 Years	648	25.31%	324	324	645	1	0	0	2
Over 65 Years	515	20.12%	223	292	514	1	0	0	0
Total	2,560	100.00%	1,267	1,293	2,550	3	0	2	5
Percent			49.49%	50.51%	99.61%	0.12%	0.00%	0.08%	0.20%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	80.0%	67.9%	81.0%	92.3%	100.0%	93.3%	NA	7
Low birth-weight babies	5.0%	14.3%	4.8%	0.0%	16.7%	6.7%	NA	47
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	0.0	35.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	58%	38%	41%	44%	35%	38%	NA	28
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	3.6	1.8	11.0	0.0	7.4	9.3	NA	96
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1

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	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	92%	95%	100%	91%	92%	83%	NA	65
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	75%	42%	70%	70%	81%	97%	NA	1
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	0%	1%	2%	0%	4%	3%	NA	24
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.00	0.00	5.95	0.00	NA	1
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	25.6	25.6	26.3	0.0	0.0	26.3	NA	59
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.0	15.5	0.0	5.3	NA	116
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.7	2.6	0.0	10.5	NA	133
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	595.2	NA	3
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1,369.9	NA	135
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	3	3	2	1	1	0	0	131
Children whose parents divorced	1.6%	0.9%	1.8%	0.6%	1.1%	NA	NA	41
Births out of wedlock	5.0%	14.3%	19.0%	0.0%	22.2%	26.7%	NA	56
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	5.40%	4.70%	4.80%	4.60%	8.50%	8.8%	NA	116
Average per capita income	$15,404	$15,669	$16,609	$17,383	$18,884	NA	NA	75
Fiscal stress level	NA	159.75	159.96	160.15	161.22	NA	NA	45
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	30%	32%	36%	31%	31%	35%	NA	70
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	23.5	16.2	34.9	25.9	24.1	20.4	14.8	11
Average daily school membership	387	379	372	387	388	380	NA	1
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	100.8	108.2	107.5	103.4	107.0	112.4	NA	135
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA	7	7	133

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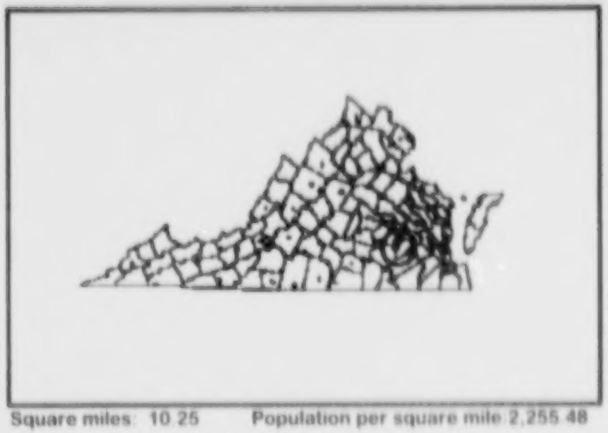

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	363	1.57%	178	185	225	129	0	5	4
1 - 4 Years	1,484	6.42%	768	716	862	570	4	17	31
5 - 11 Years	2,345	10.15%	1,191	1,154	1,345	900	6	36	58
12 - 14 Years	980	4.24%	485	495	595	337	1	28	19
15 - 17 Years	911	3.94%	476	435	575	296	9	19	12
18 - 44 Years	9,248	40.01%	4,438	4,810	6,199	2,685	32	165	167
45 - 64 Years	4,662	20.17%	2,239	2,423	3,654	883	16	70	39
Over 65 Years	3,120	13.50%	1,162	1,958	2,612	481	3	7	17
Total	23,113	100.00%	10,937	12,176	16,067	6,281	71	347	347
Percent			47.32%	52.68%	69.51%	27.18%	0.31%	1.50%	1.50%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	65.8%	76.7%	81.9%	79.7%	81.2%	79.6%	NA	101
Low birth-weight babies	9.0%	10.4%	10.0%	10.3%	7.4%	8.6%	NA	98
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	14.3	2.5	5.4	12.9	8.5	11.0	NA	100
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	23%	30%	24%	21%	13%	15%	NA	132
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	29.5	21.3	16.1	25.3	19.6	23.3	NA	134
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	20.6	0.0	62.4	41.6	Na	104

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	72%	86%	83%	80%	78%	74%	NA	112
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	47%	38%	50%	53%	41%	44%	NA	124
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	6%	12%	6%	8%	7%	8%	NA	124
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.26	9.52	5.82	3.7	NA	58
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	70.3	64.1	65.1	57.5	64.4	69.0	NA	130
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.5	2.7	4.2	3.2	NA	77
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.5	6.6	3.5	3.7	NA	109
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	540.0	579.9	585.7	1,374.9	1,322.1	264.4	NA	87
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	13,418.5	16,763.6	15,230.0	19,777.9	NA	121
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	2	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	554.3	0.0	109.8	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	26	28	30	32	35	52	55	31
Children whose parents divorced	2.2%	1.7%	2.2%	1.4%	1.5%	NA	NA	84
Births out of wedlock	43.2%	51.6%	48.8%	53.2%	47.9%	56.6%	NA	132
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	9.00%	10.90%	7.60%	6.60%	5.50%	6.0%	NA	90
Average per capita income	$15,978	$16,476	$16,541	$17,887	$19,052	NA	NA	68
Fiscal stress level	NA	179.78	180.26	180.07	179.94	NA	NA	129
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	37%	38%	50%	53%	51%	52%	NA	116
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	146.8	161.8	176.2	190.5	186.3	151.6	117.4	123
Average daily school membership	3,992	4,084	4,069	4,084	4,053	4,071	NA	74
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	68	64.3	64.8	65.4	67.5	70.0	NA	36
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	760	669	733	53

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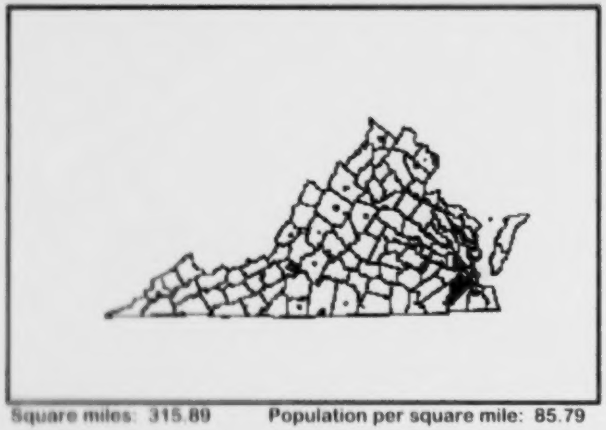

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	364	1.34%	208	156	243	118	0	2	1
1 - 4 Years	1,647	6.08%	855	792	1,109	517	6	4	11
5 - 11 Years	2,767	10.21%	1,410	1,357	1,783	953	9	7	15
12 - 14 Years	1,125	4.15%	561	564	678	433	3	4	7
15 - 17 Years	1,085	4.00%	587	498	623	448	0	6	8
18 - 44 Years	10,996	40.58%	5,409	5,587	7,238	3,659	21	28	50
45 - 64 Years	5,960	21.99%	2,955	3,005	3,982	1,937	12	15	14
Over 65 Years	3,155	11.64%	1,258	1,897	2,132	1,009	2	6	6
Total	27,099	99.99%	13,243	13,856	17,788	9,074	53	72	112
Percent			48.87%	51.13%	65.64%	33.48%	0.20%	0.27%	0.41%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	80.7%	83.0%	85.2%	84.8%	89.0%	87.2%	NA	51
Low birth-weight babies	6.4%	10.0%	9.9%	6.8%	6.6%	8.4%	NA	91
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	10.7	5.4	11.0	2.6	3.2	10.2	NA	96
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	30%	32%	37%	37%	56%	18%	NA	124
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	5.8	4.1	4.4	4.6	3.9	3.0	NA	24
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	18.1	36.1	18.1	NA	66

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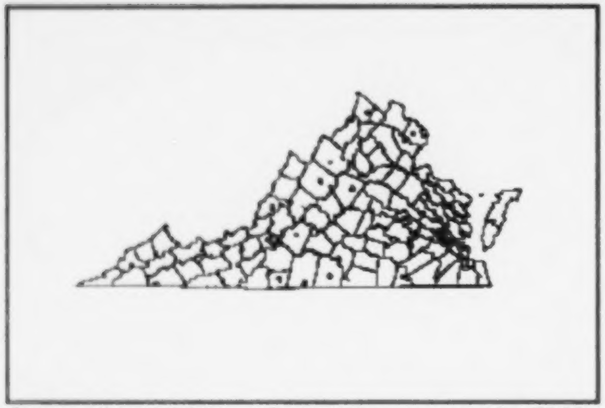
	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	82%	82%	80%	74%	74%	76%	NA	105
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	69%	65%	61%	70%	65%	58%	NA	98
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	6%	5%	4%	1%	1%	1%	NA	2
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	5.12	9.95	7.69	4.1	NA	63
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	28.1	40.2	43.6	32.1	22.1	36.1	NA	87
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.4	2.0	0.7	3.2	NA	78
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.2	1.8	2.9	1.9	NA	64
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	488.5	190.4	93.2	135.7	226.2	226.2	NA	80
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	4,517.9	3,936.7	6,696.8	4,886.9	NA	49
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	1	1	2	2	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	96.8	95.1	184.3	92.2	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	15	16	22	20	20	23	20	67
Children whose parents divorced	1.0%	1.0%	1.3%	1.3%	1.2%	NA	NA	48
Births out of wedlock	32.1%	28.0%	31.0%	34.1%	28.7%	29.4%	NA	71
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	6.10%	7.50%	6.30%	6.10%	5.20%	5.2%	NA	75
Average per capita income	$17,073	$17,858	$18,111	$19,139	$20,420	NA	NA	45
Fiscal stress level	NA	161.35	161.51	163.27	161.64	NA	NA	47
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	31%	34%	34%	35%	34%	36%	NA	77
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	64.8	71.4	70.5	68.8	66.4	65.8	54.8	80
Average daily school membership	4,198	4,236	4,275	4,418	4,551	4,643	NA	80
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	70.5	74.5	70.1	70.2	70.7	71.0	NA	42
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	746	797	823	50

JAMES CITY

Data are combined for James City County and Williamsburg City for middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests, 4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile, 6th graders passing all three Literacy Passport Tests, 9th - 12th graders who dropped out of school, incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school, incidents of students possessing weapons in school, students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program, average daily school membership, and instructional personnel rate



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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	505	1.28%	269	236	379	111	0	6	9
1 - 4 Years	2,216	5.62%	1,158	1,058	1,653	507	0	25	31
5 - 11 Years	3,822	9.69%	1,974	1,848	2,831	878	4	74	35
12 - 14 Years	1,576	4.00%	749	827	1,132	402	3	31	8
15 - 17 Years	1,410	3.58%	675	735	1,034	330	7	24	15
18 - 44 Years	16,337	41.43%	8,066	8,271	12,533	3,316	34	244	210
45 - 64 Years	8,685	22.03%	4,202	4,483	7,008	1,462	17	109	89
Over 65 Years	4,878	12.37%	2,149	2,729	4,026	782	5	35	30
Total	39,429	100.00%	19,242	20,187	30,596	7,788	70	548	427
Percent			48.80%	51.20%	77.60%	19.75%	0.18%	1.39%	1.08%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	72.4%	86.8%	87.0%	80.0%	82.7%	82.3%	NA	85
Low birth-weight babies	6.4%	4.7%	6.7%	5.6%	4.4%	6.2%	NA	37
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	4.3	2.1	12.2	2.1	15.5	2.0	NA	45
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	20%	19%	22%	28%	29%	33%	NA	50
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	11.2	15.4	15.3	15.7	18.7	17.3	NA	131
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	14.2	27.8	27.2	13.1	26.3	39.4	NA	102

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	84%	84%	83%	86%	85%	88%	NA	36
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	73%	69%	67%	65%	63%	70%	NA	50
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	3%	4%	1%	4%	3%	NA	24
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.76	1.34	1.00	1.3	NA	32
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	25.4	30.7	34.3	32.7	28.6	31.3	NA	72
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.9	1.8	2.2	3.0	NA	72
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.2	4.6	2.5	4.9	NA	122
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	297.4	108.4	281.1	301.4	167.4	33.5	NA	31
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	7,730.1	11,085.1	10,281.3	14,099.1	NA	112
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	2	1	0	3	NA	126
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	76.2	74.6	141.8	0.0	141.8	NA	113
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	4	3	0	0	9	15	18	72
Children whose parents divorced	1.3%	1.5%	1.1%	1.1%	1.0%	NA	NA	30
Births out of wedlock	26.1%	25.7%	27.2%	27.8%	29.7%	26.8%	NA	57
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	3.40%	3.30%	2.80%	3.00%	3.00%	3.1%	NA	24
Average per capita income	$20,958	$21,931	$22,914	$23,561	$24,835	NA	NA	17
Fiscal stress level	NA	157.18	157.35	156.00	156.67	NA	NA	23
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	19%	24%	24%	26%	21%	27%	NA	43
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	39.9	45.1	37.6	38.5	41.9	38.7	27.9	34
Average daily school membership	6,154	6,303	6,397	6,678	6,765	7,291	NA	96
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	69.5	74.3	73.0	74.4	76.4	74.2	NA	67
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	338	293	245	94

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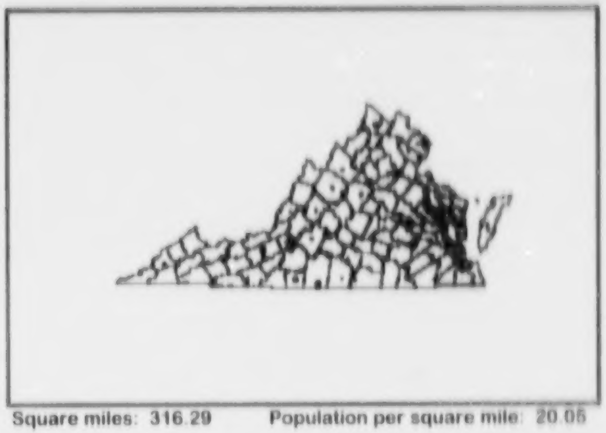

Square miles: 316.29   Population per square mile: 20.05

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	91	1.44%	45	46	50	41	0	0	0
1 - 4 Years	358	5.65%	197	161	187	165	3	1	2
5 - 11 Years	604	9.53%	309	295	292	300	6	3	3
12 - 14 Years	287	4.53%	138	149	125	159	1	2	0
15 - 17 Years	267	4.21%	151	116	112	147	7	0	1
18 - 44 Years	2,345	36.99%	1,163	1,182	1,262	1,042	23	4	14
45 - 64 Years	1,424	22.46%	675	749	884	514	24	0	2
Over 65 Years	964	15.21%	430	534	548	406	4	0	6
Total	6,340	100.02%	3,108	3,232	3,460	2,774	68	10	28
Percent			49.02%	50.98%	54.57%	43.75%	1.07%	0.16%	0.44%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	71.8%	84.3%	81.5%	74.2%	72.4%	78.7%	NA	107
Low birth-weight babies	3.5%	9.6%	4.9%	19.6%	8.2%	4.9%	NA	11
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	11.8	0.0	12.3	41.2	10.2	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	46%	37%	32%	20%	31%	25%	NA	93
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	5.0	6.8	6.9	2.5	3.7	5.0	NA	59
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	85%	86%	76%	82%	87%	86%	NA	48
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	67%	76%	47%	60%	69%	84%	NA	7
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	7%	6%	4%	5%	3%	3%	NA	24
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	12.98	14.44	5.42	5.4	NA	69
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	62.5	26.5	62.5	69.0	69.0	34.5	NA	84
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.6	4.5	1.1	0.0	NA	1
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.0	11.2	1.1	0.0	NA	1
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	180.5	0.0	180.5	NA	67
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	4,444.4	3,790.6	3,429.6	2,888.1	NA	27
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	6	8	8	8	5	1	0	131
Children whose parents divorced	1.0%	1.1%	1.2%	0.7%	1.1%	NA	NA	42
Births out of wedlock	36.5%	34.9%	38.3%	42.3%	41.8%	32.8%	NA	79
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	5.80%	7.10%	7.20%	5.80%	4.90%	5.2%	NA	75
Average per capita income	$15,653	$17,317	$17,193	$18,485	$18,583	NA	NA	77
Fiscal stress level	NA	166.75	169.61	168.79	166.76	NA	NA	79
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	55%	59%	60%	60%	67%	65%	NA	131
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	66.7	70.2	81.7	77.8	68.5	61.0	51.6	74
Average daily school membership	879	905	871	895	889	874	NA	6
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	80.6	76.3	82.4	80.7	85.0	86.4	NA	125
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	76	76	90	126

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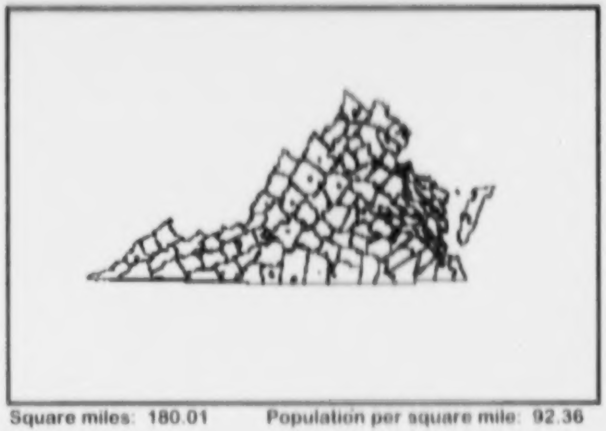

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	266	1.60%	132	134	205	47	0	5	9
1 - 4 Years	1,115	6.71%	554	561	810	267	1	12	25
5 - 11 Years	1,842	11.08%	876	966	1,376	431	4	8	23
12 - 14 Years	755	4.54%	373	382	574	163	1	6	11
15 - 17 Years	675	4.06%	353	322	502	153	2	14	4
18 - 44 Years	7,010	42.16%	3,559	3,451	5,311	1,511	21	71	96
45 - 64 Years	3,314	19.93%	1,735	1,579	2,657	615	13	22	7
Over 65 Years	1,649	9.92%	708	941	1,246	397	4	1	1
Total	16,626	100.00%	8,290	8,336	12,681	3,584	46	139	176
Percent			49.86%	50.14%	76.27%	21.56%	0.28%	0.84%	1.06%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	86.2%	88.7%	87.6%	86.7%	80.2%	84.9%	NA	69
Low birth-weight babies	4.4%	3.8%	8.1%	5.9%	6.5%	7.2%	NA	65
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	9.9	4.7	9.6	3.9	0.0	15.9	NA	118
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	18%	13%	17%	32%	32%	30%	NA	63
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	8.6	3.7	6.2	0.9	0.9	5.6	NA	65
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	31.8	0.0	29.9	26.9	26.9	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	79%	82%	80%	76%	78%	78%	NA	88
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	68%	50%	49%	54%	53%	55%	NA	108
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	3%	3%	4%	3%	3%	2%	NA	9
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.95	15.38	8.39	16.1	NA	107
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	15.0	14.6	14.0	18.6	31.1	34.2	NA	83
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.6	7.7	0.0	5.4	NA	118
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.0	4.2	2.9	5.7	NA	129
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	158.0	209.8	69.9	349.7	NA	101
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	12,796.2	10,349.7	10,559.4	11,049.0	NA	99
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	1	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	14	10	10	7	4	6	17	75
Children whose parents divorced	1.3%	1.3%	1.1%	1.1%	1.2%	NA	NA	50
Births out of wedlock	22.7%	21.2%	25.4%	23.4%	29.6%	29.5%	NA	72
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	6.50%	8.30%	5.40%	3.80%	4.20%	4.0%	NA	48
Average per capita income	$18,271	$18,623	$19,473	$19,376	$21,188	NA	NA	36
Fiscal stress level	NA	157.14	157.59	158.27	158.87	NA	NA	34
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	17%	18%	22%	22%	24%	27	NA	43
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	36.3	38.9	44.4	45.8	46.9	41.3	34.0	44
Average daily school membership	2,547	2,569	2,516	2,611	2,724	2,800	NA	54
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	73.0	74.3	75.0	71.1	74.9	75.4	NA	74
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	201	274	351	77

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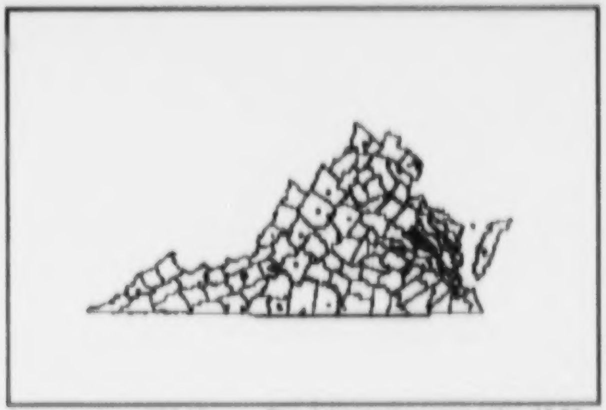

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	177	1.47%	84	93	119	55	1	1	1
1 - 4 Years	702	5.81%	341	361	463	225	8	1	5
5 - 11 Years	1,238	10.25%	615	623	787	427	16	3	5
12 - 14 Years	569	4.71%	281	288	370	182	12	2	3
15 - 17 Years	513	4.25%	271	242	312	190	8	1	2
18 - 44 Years	4,765	39.45%	2,310	2,455	3,136	1,500	94	10	25
45 - 64 Years	2,524	20.90%	1,294	1,230	1,704	738	71	5	6
Over 65 Years	1,591	13.17%	639	952	1,010	533	44	2	2
Total	12,079	100.01%	5,835	6,244	7,901	3,850	254	25	49
Percent			48.31%	51.69%	65.41%	31.87%	2.10%	0.21%	0.41%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	76.5%	86.7%	84.7%	82.8%	84.7%	92.0%	NA	14
Low birth-weight babies	11.4%	9.2%	8.5%	11.5%	5.1%	12.2%	NA	130
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	13.4	0.0	22.7	0.0	6.4	5.3%	NA	71
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	25%	50%	51%	40%	46%	38%	NA	28
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	3.7	2.6	1.9	5.3	7.5	2.8	NA	21
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	42.5	123.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	39.9	NA	103

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	66%	81%	70%	74%	81%	89%	NA	32
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	60%	56%	43%	62%	45%	58%	NA	98
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	2%	2%	2%	1%	2%	1%	NA	2
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.74	7.39	3.70	3.7	NA	56
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	18.2	26.2	29.9	41.3	16.5	8.3	NA	4
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.0	3.9	2.6	1.9	NA	43
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.3	6.4	4.6	3.1	NA	97
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	195.3	94.9	462.1	92.4	0.0	NA	1
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	3,130.9	4,528.7	5,822.6	3,604.4	NA	36
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	2	0	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	213.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	8	8	9	4	4	5	3	119
Children whose parents divorced	0.5%	1.5%	1.5%	1.1%	0.9%	NA	NA	11
Births out of wedlock	27.5%	26.0%	24.4%	27.6%	26.8%	21.8%	NA	30
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	5.00%	5.30%	4.30%	4.60%	3.60%	4.4%	NA	59
Average per capita income	$18,489	$18,811	$19,106	$20,201	$21,418	NA	NA	35
Fiscal stress level	NA	157.56	156.25	157.68	156.74	NA	NA	24
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	28%	26%	32%	32%	32%	30%	NA	51
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	55.6	57.8	55.0	47.5	40.3	37.2	33.8	43
Average daily school membership	1,554	1,567	1,551	1,556	1,530	1,600	NA	24
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	79.2	80.1	80.3	81.0	79.6	76.5	NA	81
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	323	269	273	88

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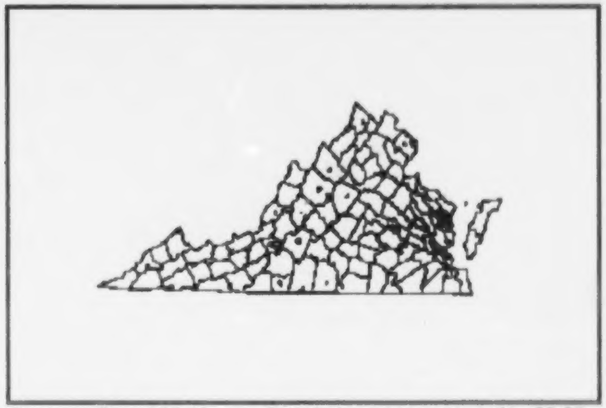

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	106	0.96%	64	42	58	47	0	0	1
1 - 4 Years	453	4.09%	229	224	239	208	0	0	6
5 - 11 Years	934	8.43%	479	455	513	413	0	0	8
12 - 14 Years	406	3.66%	196	210	223	183	0	0	0
15 - 17 Years	362	3.27%	186	176	204	158	0	0	0
18 - 44 Years	3,101	27.97%	1,493	1,608	1,880	1,204	2	7	8
45 - 64 Years	2,791	25.18%	1,267	1,524	2,036	746	2	3	4
Over 65 Years	2,933	26.46%	1,268	1,665	2,393	531	3	2	4
Total	11,086	100.02%	5,182	5,904	7,546	3,490	7	12	31
Percent			46.74%	53.26%	68.07%	31.48%	0.06%	0.11%	0.28%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	74.1%	72.2%	82.3%	65.6%	75.7%	70.3%	NA	133
Low birth-weight babies	9.6%	12.0%	11.5%	11.5%	11.2%	9.9%	NA	117
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	22.2	18.5	0.0	10.4	9.3	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	8%	10%	28%	16%	30%	25%	NA	93
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	0.9	6.7	2.7	3.1	5.7	4.0	NA	38
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	112.5	0.0	0.0	55.8	55.8	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	77%	71%	72%	72%	66%	64%	NA	132
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	71%	49%	59%	56%	52%	39%	NA	131
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	4%	4%	4%	2%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	10.55	26.04	32.55	6.5	NA	77
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	23.3	34.5	28.9	39.8	51.1	11.4	NA	8
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.6	0.6	4.8	0.0	NA	1
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.6	NA	17
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	395.8	390.6	260.4	0.0	NA	1
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	3,957.8	5,338.5	11,849.0	6,640.6	NA	73
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	1	1	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	280.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	2	7	13	10	8	12	9	96
Children whose parents divorced	1.4%	1.8%	1.1%	1.4%	1.2%	NA	NA	51
Births out of wedlock	39.3%	48.1%	46.9%	46.9%	50.5%	51.4%	NA	122
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	12.10%	15.70%	14.80%	14.00%	14.00%	14.3%	NA	133
Average per capita income	$22,655	$23,330	$24,302	$25,751	$27,420	NA	NA	11
Fiscal stress level	NA	156.30	155.74	155.59	156.59	NA	NA	22
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	37%	41%	43%	48%	46%	47%	NA	103
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	109.5	114.2	103.2	101.7	100.8	95.5	71.6	96
Average daily school membership	1,624	1,600	1,213	1,576	1,650	1,613	NA	25
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	66.9	60	82.9	58.5	57.3	59.2	NA	2
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	78	128	128	118

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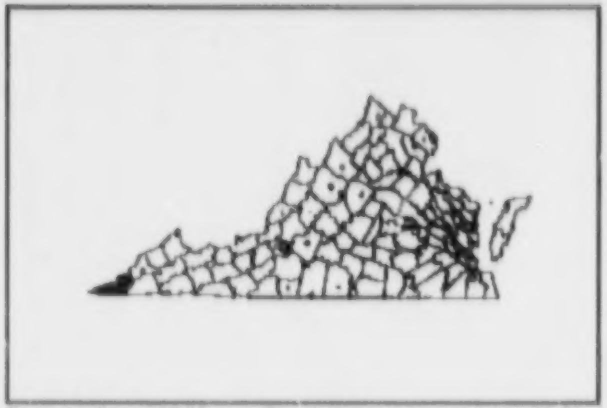

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	285	1.17%	154	131	274	1	0	1	9
1 - 4 Years	1,214	4.98%	612	602	1,195	6	1	1	11
5 - 11 Years	2,373	9.74%	1,174	1,199	2,345	10	3	3	12
12 - 14 Years	1,179	4.84%	583	596	1,163	6	3	0	7
15 - 17 Years	1,193	4.89%	625	568	1,184	2	2	1	4
18 - 44 Years	8,757	35.93%	4,319	4,438	8,660	36	13	9	39
45 - 64 Years	5,338	21.90%	2,549	2,789	5,295	10	5	5	23
Over 65 Years	4,035	16.55%	1,643	2,392	3,993	19	0	1	22
Total	24,374	100.00%	11,659	12,715	24,109	90	27	21	127
Percent			47.83%	52.17%	98.91%	0.37%	0.11%	0.09%	0.52%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	68.4%	70.1%	73.9%	79.4%	82.2%	77.4%	NA	113
Low birth-weight babies	6.9%	5.6%	6.2%	5.9%	7.6%	7.3%	NA	69
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	0.0	8.0	3.6	14.0	0.0	8.1	NA	88
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	27%	25%	26%	28%	31%	32%	NA	54
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	4.7	0.8	3.2	3.8	2.9	6.7	NA	77
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	41.5	20.8	20.9	21.0	42.0	21.0	NA	69

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	80%	80%	84%	79%	86%	77%	NA	96
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	67%	48%	61%	59%	51%	53%	NA	111
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	3%	3%	3%	2%	1%	3%	NA	24
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.56	2.53	2.53	1.3	NA	30
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	26.2	33.5	39.1	35.2	28.2	26.4	NA	60
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	5.2	7.1	1.9	2.8	NA	63
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.0	2.1	0.0	0.2	NA	12
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	85.0	0.0	0.0	42.2	0.0	NA	1
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	4,684.8	8,136.6	7,251.3	4,848.2	NA	47
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	1	1	0	1	1	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	250.2	84.0	84.7	83.8	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	47	41	41	29	40	30	36	42
Children whose parents divorced	2.0%	1.9%	1.6%	1.8%	1.8%	NA	NA	116
Births out of wedlock	27.4%	27.5%	26.4%	27.6%	32.9%	27.0%	NA	58
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	10.50%	14.90%	10.90%	10.50%	11.80%	11.6%	NA	131
Average per capita income	$11,413	$12,306	$12,727	$13,552	$13,556	NA	NA	135
Fiscal stress level	NA	173.05	173.44	174.03	174.23	NA	NA	114
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	53%	54%	54%	55%	59%	63%	NA	129
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	139.6	148.1	150.8	156.3	152.8	147.0	142.4	130
Average daily school membership	4,534	4,460	4,412	4,373	4,289	4,262	NA	75
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	76.9	68.8	83.5	73.2	78.4	80.3	NA	103
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	301	281	329	80

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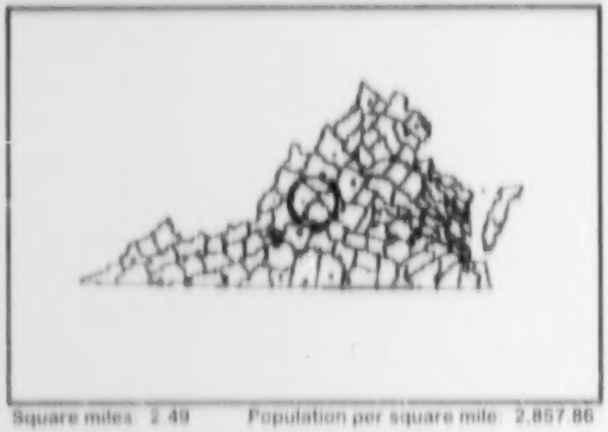

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Data are combined for Lexington City and Rockbridge County for: 9th - 12th graders who dropped out of school, children whose parents divorced, and students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program.

Data for Lexington City include grades K-7 only for: incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school, incidents of students possessing weapons in school, average daily school membership, and instructional personnel rate.

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	38	0.53%	18	20	31	6	0	0	1
1 - 4 Years	176	2.47%	80	96	142	30	1	1	2
5 - 11 Years	324	4.55%	173	151	252	63	2	3	4
12 - 14 Years	158	2.22%	89	69	133	22	1	0	2
15 - 17 Years	188	2.64%	114	74	155	30	0	1	2
18 - 44 Years	3,834	53.80%	2,617	1,217	3,325	370	14	94	31
45 - 64 Years	1,217	17.08%	543	674	1,027	176	7	2	5
Over 65 Years	1,192	16.73%	422	770	1,025	166	0	0	1
Total	7,127	100.02%	4,056	3,071	6,090	863	25	101	48
Percent			56.91%	43.09%	85.45%	12.11%	0.35%	1.42%	0.67%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	65.2%	83.1%	87.7%	82.1%	79.2%	87.5%	NA	49
Low birth-weight babies	6.7%	10.8%	5.5%	8.3%	5.6%	3.1%	NA	2
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	31.3	NA	134
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	51%	55%	23%	38%	44%	34%	NA	47
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	7.0	0.0	1.2	1.1	6.8	6.8	NA	78
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	304.0	152.0	NA	134

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	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	96%	94%	92%	95%	96%	94%	NA	8
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	79%	69%	85%	70%	73%	69%	NA	55
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	5%	4%	6%	4%	4%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	5.99	28.90	8.67	5.8	NA	71
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	14.3	27.8	14.1	54.1	67.6	13.5	NA	13
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	6.0	8.3	0.0	0.0	NA	1
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.0	2.1	4.2	2.1	NA	67
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	578.0	289.0	0.0	NA	1
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	7,185.6	18,497.1	12,716.8	2,023.1	NA	15
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	3	3	4	0	0	0	1	128
Children whose parents divorced	1.2%	1.6%	1.7%	2.1%	2.4%	NA	NA	128
Births out of wedlock	22.5%	32.3%	24.7%	22.6%	33.3%	12.5%	NA	3
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	6.90%	5.50%	4.80%	3.70%	2.80%	2.8%	NA	13
Average per capita income	$14,695	$15,146	$15,442	$16,216	$17,495	NA	NA	94
Fiscal stress level	NA	174.70	175.14	175.34	176.37	NA	NA	122
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	23%	24%	26%	26%	26%	20%	NA	24
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	43.4	49.5	48.5	52.0	50.9	41.9	31.7	41
Average daily school membership	485	492	333	480	481	485	NA	2
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	79.3	79.6	84.1	83.3	79.9	80.6	NA	106
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	211	211	211	99

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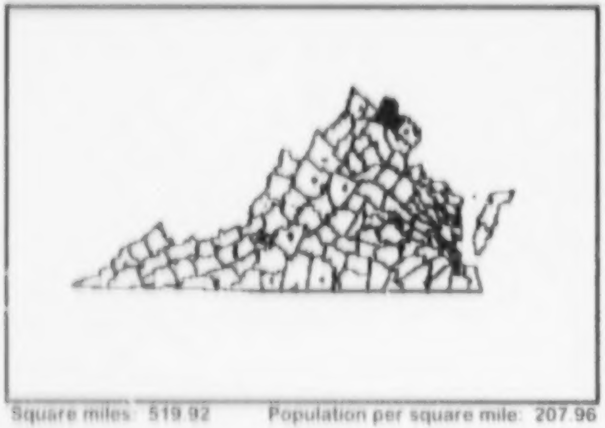

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	1,882	1.74%	941	941	1,607	133	1	75	66
1 - 4 Years	7,557	6.99%	3,811	3,746	6,490	531	3	270	263
5 - 11 Years	11,125	10.29%	5,726	5,399	9,470	922	20	301	412
12 - 14 Years	4,320	4.00%	2,201	2,119	3,615	401	12	153	139
15 - 17 Years	4,176	3.86%	2,144	2,032	3,472	393	11	135	165
18 - 44 Years	50,838	47.02%	25,110	25,728	43,769	3,739	123	1,643	1,564
45 - 64 Years	21,333	19.73%	11,022	10,311	18,823	1,542	40	517	411
Over 65 Years	6,890	6.37%	2,765	4,125	6,048	685	10	77	70
Total	108,121	100.00%	53,720	54,401	93,294	8,346	220	3,171	3,090
Percent			49.69%	50.31%	86.29%	7.72%	0.20%	2.93%	2.86%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	90.9%	90.2%	91.9%	91.5%	90.0%	93.3%	NA	7
Low birth-weight babies	4.4%	4.4%	5.2%	5.4%	5.7%	4.9%	NA	12
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	8.9	8.4	6.6	7.6	4.0	3.4	NA	53
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	22%	25%	22%	26%	26%	26%	NA	87
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	0.7	1.2	2.0	2.2	2.8	1.8	NA	10
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	36.3	19.8	23.2	17.4	21.7	4.3	NA	49

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	96%	94%	93%	92%	92%	92%	NA	17
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	83%	75%	79%	80%	75%	79%	NA	11
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	3%	3%	2%	3%	3%	3%	NA	24
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.79	3.30	3.30	4.0	NA	62
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	16.0	19.4	11.2	10.8	14.3	15.7	NA	19
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.0	1.8	2.8	2.8	NA	64
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.7	3.3	1.9	1.2	NA	42
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	172.9	260.4	153.0	247.2	294.3	341.3	NA	98
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	4,769.2	4,202.0	7,768.4	4,649.2	NA	43
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	1	1	1	2	2	NA	113
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	27.7	0.0	71.8	23.9	71.8	NA	97
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	24	15	25	24	40	38	43	37
Children whose parents divorced	1.2%	1.1%	1.2%	1.0%	1.1%	NA	NA	32
Births out of wedlock	12.2%	14.5%	12.5%	10.9%	12.1%	11.1%	NA	1
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	3.50%	4.20%	3.30%	3.20%	2.90%	2.5%	NA	5
Average per capita income	$24,786	$25,682	$26,349	$27,176	$29,094	NA	NA	7
Fiscal stress level	NA	136.22	137.87	138.47	138.39	NA	NA	2
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	6%	7%	8%	11%	10%	10%	NA	3
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	17.4	22.0	22.6	20.8	20.0	18.1	13.8	7
Average daily school membership	14,420	14,948	15,818	17,045	18,169	19,855	NA	124
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	76.5	74.0	69.9	71.7	71.3	72.7	NA	55
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	3,695	4,808	6,335	9

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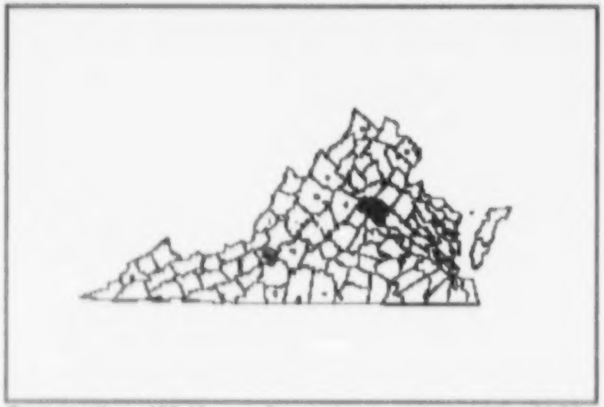

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	293	1.31%	149	144	206	82	0	4	1
1 - 4 Years	1,210	5.41%	602	608	853	342	1	5	9
5 - 11 Years	2,229	9.97%	1,161	1,068	1,584	634	3	1	7
12 - 14 Years	952	4.26%	505	447	642	298	2	4	6
15 - 17 Years	905	4.05%	460	445	577	314	2	3	9
18 - 44 Years	8,661	38.75%	4,281	4,380	6,182	2,393	37	16	33
45 - 64 Years	4,878	21.82%	2,459	2,419	3,564	1,282	16	5	11
Over 65 Years	3,224	14.42%	1,408	1,816	2,418	789	13	1	3
Total	22,352	99.99%	11,025	11,327	16,026	6,134	74	39	79
Percent			49.32%	50.68%	71.70%	27.44%	0.33%	0.17%	0.35%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	78.3%	82.4%	82.2%	80.5%	86.5%	85.9%	NA	59
Low birth-weight babies	8.3%	6.8%	7.9%	10.3%	9.9%	7.4%	NA	71
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	9.2	0.0	10.3	3.0	6.4	10.1	NA	95
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	21%	23%	30%	27%	32%	33%	NA	50
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	5.9	5.9	5.8	2.3	2.3	1.3	NA	3
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	48.2	47.0	23.0	45.5	22.8	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	77%	72%	77%	88%	89%	84%	NA	58
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	55%	45%	65%	64%	65%	73%	NA	40
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	6%	6%	6%	8%	8%	6%	NA	102
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	6.09	6.46	8.62	7.5	NA	85
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	43.9	45.0	39.4	42.7	44.9	38.2	NA	93
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	7.6	3.0	3.4	0.3	NA	9
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.1	6.2	4.8	3.6	NA	106
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	227.1	277.0	53.9	0.0	53.9	NA	41
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	5,152.4	4,361.9	5,277.3	5,869.7	NA	62
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	2	1	0	2	1	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	239.5	0.0	0.0	110.5	221.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	11	6	7	12	8	16	18	72
Children whose parents divorced	1.5%	2.1%	1.1%	1.5%	1.3%	NA	NA	54
Births out of wedlock	33.3%	30.3%	31.5%	33.1%	27.9%	32.9%	NA	81
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	9.10%	10.90%	8.60%	8.20%	9.60%	8.8%	NA	116
Average per capita income	$15,265	$15,877	$16,453	$17,292	$19,057	NA	NA	66
Fiscal stress level	NA	153.77	154.18	153.53	153.49	NA	NA	14
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	31%	33%	35%	34%	42%	37%	NA	82
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	66.8	64.9	68.0	65.5	62.8	56.7	43.8	62
Average daily school membership	3,563	3,614	3,671	3,710	3,774	3,907	NA	71
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	76.6	71.3	66.9	70.6	75.6	73.5	NA	64
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	114	138	249	92

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Square miles: 431.78 Population per square mile: 25.78

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	125	1.12%	57	68	69	52	0	3	1
1 - 4 Years	602	5.41%	301	301	344	253	0	1	4
5 - 11 Years	1,125	10.11%	614	511	596	519	3	5	2
12 - 14 Years	526	4.73%	290	236	262	259	1	3	1
15 - 17 Years	493	4.43%	256	237	253	237	1	1	1
18 - 44 Years	3,804	34.18%	1,882	1,922	2,194	1,573	6	8	23
45 - 64 Years	2,521	22.65%	1,209	1,312	1,619	891	0	2	9
Over 65 Years	1,934	17.38%	792	1,142	1,314	613	0	1	6
Total	11,130	100.01%	5,401	5,729	6,651	4,397	11	24	47
Percent			48.53%	51.47%	59.76%	39.51%	0.10%	0.22%	0.42%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	79.4%	79.5%	88.6%	83.5%	74.8%	88.6%	NA	37
Low birth-weight babies	12.1%	11.5%	14.3%	7.8%	8.4%	11.4%	NA	128
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	28.4	16.4	9.5	8.7	15.3	19.0	NA	126
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	17%	20%	13%	14%	16%	13%	NA	134
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	1.0	1.0	4.5	3.8	2.8	2.4	NA	16
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	174.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	52%	67%	62%	60%	52%	65%	NA	131
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	63%	42%	47%	52%	46%	40%	NA	129
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	3%	7%	7%	6%	5%	NA	81
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	18.63	15.70	5.89	10.8	NA	96
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	42.2	46.2	29.7	38.0	54.9	12.7	NA	12
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.9	0.0	4.1	2.9	NA	68
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.7	3.7	8.2	2.9	NA	90
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	195.5	194.0	588.2	0.0	98.1	98.1	NA	53
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	10,588.2	7,458.3	9,911.7	12,070.7	NA	105
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	1	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	5	4	7	10	8	5	5	112
Children whose parents divorced	1.4%	1.8%	1.6%	2.0%	1.3%	NA	NA	52
Births out of wedlock	39.7%	34.4%	43.8%	43.5%	55.0%	44.8%	NA	112
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	19.10%	12.50%	8.90%	9.50%	12.80%	9.9%	NA	125
Average per capita income	$12,736	$13,219	$13,114	$14,299	$14,807	NA	NA	127
Fiscal stress level	NA	172.23	172.55	172.33	172.10	NA	NA	103
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	53%	58%	60%	59%	58%	58%	NA	120
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	71.1	77.7	73.0	64.1	61.0	58.9	49.1	69
Average daily school membership	2,218	2,215	2,225	2,164	2,191	2,102	NA	33
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	65.6	74.6	66.4	71.6	70.7	71.6	NA	46
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	140	124	145	115

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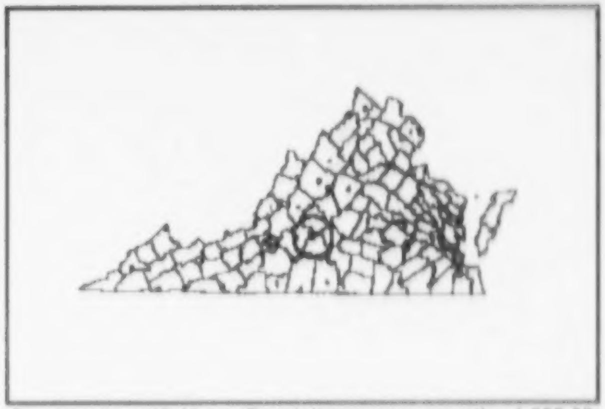

Square miles: 49.40 Population per square mile: 1,356.58

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	860	1.28%	443	417	500	348	0	6	6
1 - 4 Years	3,712	5.54%	1,913	1,799	2,168	1,483	6	29	26
5 - 11 Years	5,855	8.74%	2,964	2,891	3,503	2,261	4	47	40
12 - 14 Years	2,358	3.52%	1,145	1,213	1,394	923	7	18	16
15 - 17 Years	2,392	3.57%	1,202	1,190	1,455	883	13	29	12
18 - 44 Years	27,519	41.06%	12,638	14,881	19,171	7,785	59	312	192
45 - 64 Years	12,662	18.89%	5,783	6,879	9,437	3,062	16	97	50
Over 65 Years	11,657	17.39%	4,075	7,582	9,414	2,177	15	21	30
Total	67,015	99.99%	30,163	36,852	47,042	18,922	120	559	372
Percent			45.01%	54.99%	70.20%	28.24%	0.18%	0.83%	0.56%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	84.8%	80.3%	88.1%	85.9%	83.6%	82.3%	NA	86
Low birth-weight babies	8.3%	8.7%	7.1%	6.9%	8.7%	8.3%	NA	86
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	11.1	13.8	12.9	17.2	15.4	4.5	NA	62
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	20%	15%	14%	14%	17%	16%	NA	127
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	19.1	16.2	14.1	16.9	17.9	11.6	NA	115
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	34.2	33.3	33.6	16.8	8.4	58.7	NA	116

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	83%	82%	79%	79%	75%	77%	NA	96
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	68%	57%	65%	62%	56%	61%	NA	86
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	3%	3%	3%	5%	4%	5%	NA	81
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	24.46	19.16	18.53	18.5	NA	117
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	48.2	52.9	38.6	49.6	44.5	51.3	NA	118
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.1	2.1	2.0	1.6	NA	36
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.7	3.4	2.8	2.8	NA	84
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	354.5	256.8	193.1	505.3	800.0	589.5	NA	114
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	11,459.2	11,284.2	14,736.8	NA	NA	NA
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	3	1	1	0	1	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	130.8	42.4	42.7	41.8	41.8	0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	111	120	134	140	143	145	172	12
Children whose parents divorced	1.4%	1.6%	1.7%	1.7%	1.6%	NA	NA	91
Births out of wedlock	41.2%	41.7%	42.2%	43.9%	43.4%	46.3%	NA	115
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	6.50%	6.70%	4.70%	4.50%	3.80%	3.6%	NA	33
Average per capita income	$17,184	$17,678	$18,619	$19,494	$20,847	NA	NA	42
Fiscal stress level	NA	178.10	177.90	179.02	179.00	NA	NA	127
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	27%	32%	35%	36%	36%	39%	NA	87
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	128.1	147.7	155.0	145.5	134.3	121.6	94.6	110
Average daily school membership	9,214	9,354	9,266	9,197	9,275	9,399	NA	107
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	75	73.1	72.6	77.2	78.6	78.3	NA	93
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	3,163	3,631	3,760	16

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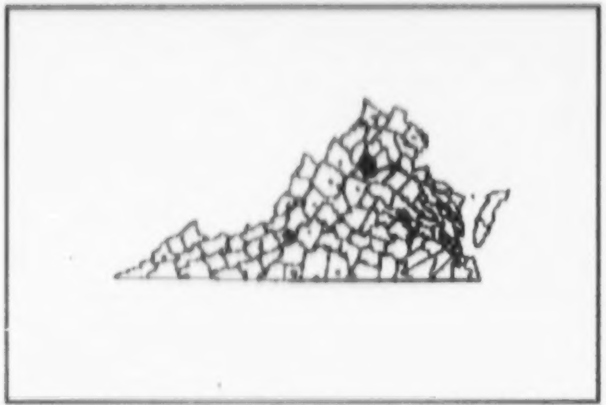

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	151	1.23%	73	78	130	20	0	0	1
1 - 4 Years	655	5.34%	326	329	547	101	1	0	6
5 - 11 Years	1,274	10.38%	680	594	1,024	239	5	2	4
12 - 14 Years	523	4.26%	255	268	429	92	0	1	1
15 - 17 Years	468	3.81%	250	218	374	92	0	0	2
18 - 44 Years	4,537	36.96%	2,257	2,280	3,819	678	7	18	15
45 - 64 Years	2,762	22.50%	1,359	1,403	2,381	366	10	1	4
Over 65 Years	1,904	15.51%	827	1,077	1,637	257	8	0	2
Total	12,274	99.99%	6,027	6,247	10,341	1,845	31	22	35
Percent			49.10%	50.90%	84.25%	15.03%	0.25%	0.18%	0.29%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	81.0%	83.5%	82.2%	77.6%	81.0%	87.0%	NA	52
Low birth-weight babies	6.1%	5.7%	0.8%	6.6%	6.3%	9.9%	NA	118
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	0.0	0.0	7.8	6.6	0.0	15.3	NA	117
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	32%	27%	32%	41%	41%	25%	NA	93
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	4.2	3.0	1.0	4.6	1.6	1.3	NA	4
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	41.1	0.0	81.6	0.0	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	79%	74%	78%	65%	71%	64%	NA	132
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	61%	62%	60%	50%	51%	55%	NA	108
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	3%	6%	4%	5%	5%	5%	NA	81
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.08	5.05	6.05	10.1	NA	94
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	51.4	23.6	23.3	32.1	50.5	22.9	NA	44
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.6	2.1	2.1	3.1	NA	76
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	8.7	1.1	6.3	2.6	NA	79
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	100.9	0.0	NA	1
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	3,179.5	3,430.9	6,155.4	5,953.6	NA	65
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	1	0	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	217.9	219.3	0.0	213.7	0.0	213.7	NA	126
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	6	5	4	4	3	6	9	96
Children whose parents divorced	1.4%	1.1%	0.5%	0.5%	1.4%	NA	NA	63
Births out of wedlock	23.9%	26.6%	16.3%	28.9%	32.5%	28.2%	NA	66
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	4.90%	5.10%	3.50%	3.60%	3.20%	3.8%	NA	38
Average per capita income	$14,047	$14,598	$15,071	$16,090	$16,697	NA	NA	106
Fiscal stress level	NA	161.71	161.38	160.96	160.22	NA	NA	39
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	21%	21%	21%	23%	23%	24%	NA	32
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	30.9	37.4	39.4	41.7	35.5	29.6	26.1	29
Average daily school membership	1,868	1,883	1,838	1,884	1,919	1,927	NA	31
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	69.5	68.8	74.8	74.1	74.7	76.6	NA	83
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	177	164	199	102

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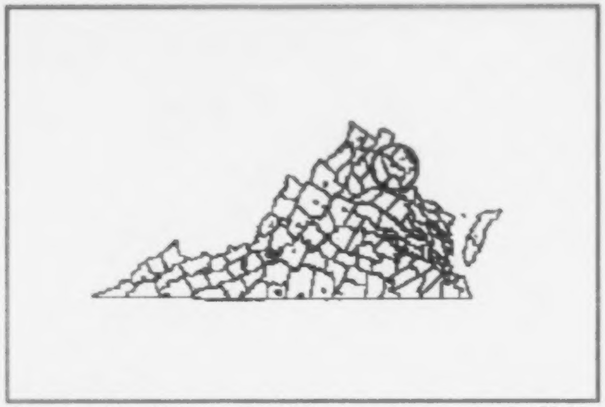

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Square miles: 10.01 Population per square mile: 3,175.27

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	658	2.07%	344	314	479	80	3	32	64
1 - 4 Years	2,466	7.76%	1,245	1,221	1,893	304	8	103	158
5 - 11 Years	3,621	11.39%	1,882	1,739	2,759	468	8	142	244
12 - 14 Years	1,287	4.05%	658	629	971	195	7	49	65
15 - 17 Years	1,137	3.58%	596	541	848	153	4	48	84
18 - 44 Years	16,151	50.81%	8,425	7,726	12,495	1,853	51	567	1,185
45 - 64 Years	4,820	15.16%	2,462	2,358	4,126	374	9	181	130
Over 65 Years	1,647	5.18%	616	1,031	1,460	123	4	46	14
Total	31,787	100.00%	16,228	15,559	25,031	3,550	94	1,168	1,944
Percent			51.05%	48.95%	78.75%	11.17%	0.30%	3.67%	6.12%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	88.9%	89.7%	84.9%	86.9%	90.7%	88.4%	NA	40
Low birth-weight babies	4.3%	3.6%	4.9%	5.2%	4.6%	6.2%	NA	38
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	5.4	13.7	8.5	8.2	1.6	4.4	NA	61
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	43%	38%	31%	31%	23%	40%	NA	19
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	8.0	8.5	10.8	6.4	7.5	9.5	NA	100
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	29.8	28.6	0.0	13.6	27.1	13.6	NA	57

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	89%	89%	92%	90%	89%	96%	NA	5
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	81%	83%	83%	85%	83%	79%	NA	11
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	4%	2%	2%	2%	2%	NA	9
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	16.21	30.12	31.35	32.2	NA	132
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	28.7	35.6	26.8	37.0	49.9	51.8	NA	120
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.9	1.7	1.7	3.9	NA	94
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.9	2.1	5.0	3.2	NA	98
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	466.2	488.5	256.0	330.0	495.0	742.6	NA	124
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	5,887.4	4,455.4	4,042.9	1,072.6	NA	9
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	0	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	88.0	NA	101
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	13	15	12	11	12	19	27	56
Children whose parents divorced	1.1%	0.9%	1.0%	1.1%	1.0%	NA	NA	25
Births out of wedlock	18.8%	22.1%	19.5%	22.3%	27.2%	27.7%	NA	63
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	5.10%	6.00%	4.00%	3.70%	3.60%	3.5%	NA	32
Average per capita income	$19,531	$20,168	$20,793	$21,544	$22,951	NA	NA	25
Fiscal stress level	NA	155.86	156.01	155.85	157.04	NA	NA	26
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	11%	14%	16%	16%	18%	18%	NA	17
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	30.9	38.7	46.4	49.0	50.3	40.6	34.9	46
Average daily school membership	4,783	5,028	5,234	5,353	5,407	5,645	NA	91
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	75.2	75.5	75.5	73.8	75.3	73.2	NA	59
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	2,271	2,541	2,735	20

MANASSAS PARK

Data are combined for Manassas Park City , Manassas City , and Prince William County for children whose parents divorced.

Square miles: 1.83 Population per square mile: 3,809.66

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	134	1.92%	58	76	103	16	0	5	10
1 - 4 Years	553	7.92%	276	277	470	36	0	12	35
5 - 11 Years	893	12.80%	432	461	741	83	0	28	41
12 - 14 Years	312	4.47%	145	167	244	41	1	4	22
15 - 17 Years	300	4.30%	164	136	244	35	0	6	15
18 - 44 Years	3,405	48.80%	1,729	1,676	2,850	257	4	105	189
45 - 64 Years	1,120	16.05%	555	565	1,005	61	2	19	33
Over 65 Years	261	3.74%	101	160	236	10	1	3	11
Total	6,978	100.00%	3,460	3,518	5,893	539	8	182	356
Percent			49.58%	50.42%	84.45%	7.72%	0.11%	2.61%	5.10%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	83.7%	89.2%	83.3%	87.9%	94.2%	92.1%	NA	13
Low birth-weight babies	11.1%	10.2%	4.0%	2.3%	9.1%	5.9%	NA	30
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	19.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	19.5	6.6	NA	77
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	19%	10%	16%	17%	18%	30%	NA	63
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	7.4	5.0	13.4	7.8	5.0	15.1	NA	128
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	56.9	113.8	NA	131

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	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	91%	87%	79%	74%	72%	68%	NA	128
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	55%	50%	64%	68%	52%	63%	NA	78
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	9%	5%	9%	8%	3%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.62	4.90	3.27	0.0	NA	1
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	29.9	58.8	43.8	51.5	51.5	51.5	NA	119
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.2	0.7	2.7	1.3	NA	28
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.5	4.4	3.3	2.6	NA	76
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	170.1	498.3	487.0	163.4	163.4	163.4	NA	62
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	11,363.6	9,967.3	5,392.2	5,882.4	NA	63
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	12	8	19	23	23	16	19	70
Children whose parents divorced	1.1%	0.9%	1.0%	1.1%	1.0%	NA	NA	25
Births out of wedlock	20.9%	25.9%	28.7%	28.9%	24.7%	25.7%	NA	52
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	4.30%	4.00%	2.20%	3.00%	2.20%	4.2%	NA	53
Average per capita income	$19,531	$20,168	$20,793	$21,544	$22,951	NA	NA	25
Fiscal stress level	NA	165.93	166.76	166.45	166.98	NA	NA	82
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	20%	22%	25%	26%	30%	31%	NA	54
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	63.5	80.3	81.2	78.5	79.4	71.6	60.2	87
Average daily school membership	1,331	1,346	1,378	1,362	1,496	1,560	NA	23
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	83.2	76.7	77.2	79.2	74.0	72.6	NA	53
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	146	165	207	100

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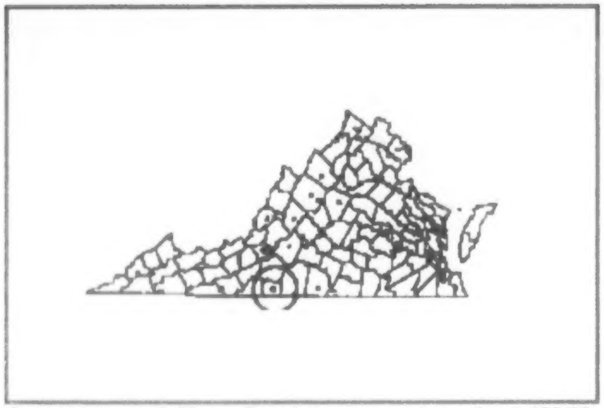

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	206	1.29%	108	98	79	125	0	0	2
1 - 4 Years	795	4.98%	396	399	369	423	1	1	1
5 - 11 Years	1,361	8.53%	660	701	679	671	3	5	3
12 - 14 Years	639	4.00%	319	320	304	331	0	4	0
15 - 17 Years	586	3.67%	286	300	292	290	1	2	1
18 - 44 Years	5,647	35.38%	2,683	2,964	3,106	2,510	9	14	8
45 - 64 Years	3,566	22.34%	1,534	2,032	2,546	1,009	3	6	2
Over 65 Years	3,159	19.79%	1,173	1,986	2,388	761	3	0	7
Total	15,959	99.98%	7,159	8,800	9,763	6,120	20	32	24
Percent			44.86%	55.14%	61.18%	38.35%	0.13%	0.20%	0.15%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	65.3%	72.2%	66.4%	69.0%	68.5%	71.9%	NA	130
Low birth-weight babies	6.9%	12.9%	10.4%	11.8%	8.8%	8.2%	NA	85
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	13.9	15.5	9.5	43.7	0.0	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	37%	26%	30%	14%	15%	32%	NA	54
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	13.9	7.2	8.9	7.8	15.1	9.8	NA	103
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	140.6	35.4	35.5	0.0	71.6	35.8	NA	97

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	79%	72%	77%	79%	80%	75%	NA	110
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	73%	58%	57%	56%	42%	59%	NA	95
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	7%	7%	10%	9%	4%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	23.10	48.16	29.39	13.9	NA	100
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	63.8	54.2	57.4	70.0	76.7	56.7	NA	123
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	6.1	4.7	2.1	2.1	NA	46
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.9	4.7	5.4	2.8	NA	89
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	746.3	580.4	577.6	653.1	489.8	326.5	NA	97
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	25,660.1	24,081.6	22,204.1	25,714.3	NA	128
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	1	0	0	0	0	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	170.6	170.6	170.6	NA	119
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	28	23	23	18	12	17	26	60
Children whose parents divorced	1.6%	1.9%	1.3%	1.5%	1.5%	NA	NA	85
Births out of wedlock	50.9%	46.9%	53.6%	53.7%	50.3%	55.0%	NA	127
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	13.50%	8.60%	7.40%	9.80%	9.10%	8.4%	NA	114
Average per capita income	$16,669	$17,490	$17,764	$18,281	$19,350	NA	NA	59
Fiscal stress level	NA	171.61	170.71	174.22	176.29	NA	NA	121
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	32%	36%	38%	35%	40%	43%	NA	95
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	134.8	164.8	154.6	143.3	150.5	132.4	90.9	108
Average daily school membership	2,808	2,743	2,774	2,749	2,793	2,817	NA	55
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	81.4	81.6	80.5	81.4	80.9	83.8	NA	122
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	701	695	864	46

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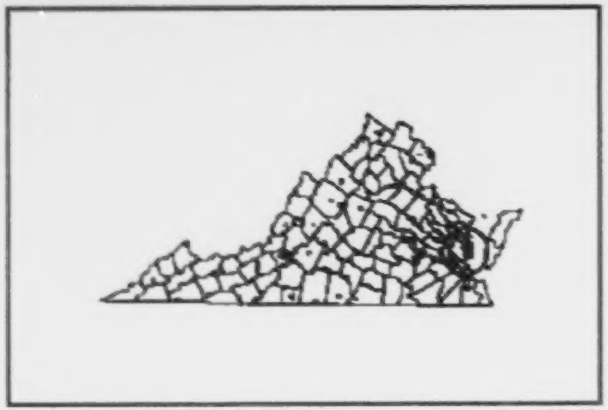

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	68	0.77%	39	29	57	11	0	0	0
1 - 4 Years	334	3.77%	155	179	272	60	0	1	1
5 - 11 Years	704	7.94%	374	330	568	128	1	3	4
12 - 14 Years	322	3.63%	175	147	254	64	0	2	2
15 - 17 Years	329	3.71%	186	143	286	38	1	3	1
18 - 44 Years	2,738	30.89%	1,349	1,389	2,294	421	7	5	11
45 - 64 Years	2,275	25.67%	1,089	1,186	1,969	297	1	1	7
Over 65 Years	2,093	23.62%	878	1,215	1,811	273	2	0	7
Total	8,863	100.00%	4,245	4,618	7,511	1,292	12	15	33
Percent			47.90%	52.10%	84.75%	14.58%	0.14%	0.17%	0.37%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	80.7%	81.9%	84.4%	81.1%	92.9%	88.2%	NA	42
Low birth-weight babies	3.4%	6.0%	3.1%	8.1%	4.8%	6.6%	NA	45
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	11.4	0.0	0.0	27.0	11.9	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	22%	27%	34%	29%	39%	31%	NA	56
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	2.4	12.4	4.1	2.8	8.5	3.4	NA	31
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	75.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	90%	84%	88%	87%	90%	83%	NA	65
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	71%	69%	69%	72%	75%	79%	NA	11
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	4%	5%	5%	6%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	6.36	1.54	1.54	0.0	NA	1
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	14.4	7.2	21.6	35.0	21.0	35.0	NA	85
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.0	5.5	2.4	3.9	NA	95
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.1	1.6	0.0	0.0	NA	1
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	325.7	161.8	2,225.8	153.6	307.2	153.6	NA	61
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	9,380.0	9,984.6	5,990.8	6,912.4	NA	77
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	0	3	4	4	5	1	1	128
Children whose parents divorced	1.6%	1.2%	1.5%	1.1%	0.8%	NA	NA	6
Births out of wedlock	27.3%	27.7%	23.4%	28.4%	23.8%	21.1%	NA	23
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	3.90%	4.60%	4.10%	4.40%	3.60%	3.3%	NA	28
Average per capita income	$19,310	$19,837	$20,313	$20,732	$23,185	NA	NA	24
Fiscal stress level	NA	158.29	159.54	158.23	159.87	NA	NA	37
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	20%	24%	25%	28%	26%	26%	NA	38
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	55.5	59.0	69.5	64.9	60.9	49.5	38.1	50
Average daily school membership	1,245	1,261	1,838	1,267	1,264	1,271	NA	14
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	77.4	75.6	74.8	78.4	75.6	75.1	NA	72
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	76	165	185	105

MECKLENBURG

Square miles: 623.98 Population per square mile: 48.76

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	367	1.21%	186	181	188	178	0	0	1
1 - 4 Years	1,444	4.75%	716	728	746	694	0	1	3
5 - 11 Years	2,707	8.90%	1,380	1,327	1,357	1,341	1	5	3
12 - 14 Years	1,337	4.39%	667	670	655	674	1	5	2
15 - 17 Years	1,257	4.13%	649	608	588	662	0	3	4
18 - 44 Years	10,884	35.77%	5,487	5,397	6,130	4,696	9	19	30
45 - 64 Years	7,033	23.11%	3,262	3,771	4,733	2,268	5	14	13
Over 65 Years	5,399	17.74%	2,237	3,162	3,658	1,721	6	3	11
Total	30,428	100.00%	14,584	15,844	18,055	12,234	22	50	67
Percent			47.93%	52.07%	59.34%	40.21%	0.07%	0.16%	0.22%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	69.2%	70.3%	68.8%	72.3%	69.8%	72.8%	NA	128
Low birth-weight babies	8.5%	12.1%	9.7%	7.9%	6.4%	9.6%	NA	112
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	5.9	19.8	17.6	8.5	10.6	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	12%	14%	21%	15%	26%	22%	NA	106
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	7.8	5.2	7.3	6.0	4.4	6.0	NA	71
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	112.5	37.1	18.4	72.9	54.7	54.7	NA	113

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	69%	81%	76%	79%	86%	78%	NA	88
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	55%	46%	52%	56%	44%	52%	NA	115
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	5%	7%	8%	6%	9%	8%	NA	124
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	7.91	16.96	17.73	6.6	NA	78
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	36.6	29.2	27.1	42.8	32.9	64.1	NA	128
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.4	3.4	3.8	3.4	NA	82
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.8	4.5	3.2	5.0	NA	124
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	246.2	0.4	79.1	424.1	385.5	192.8	NA	74
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	7,354.7	8,751.0	8,828.1	6,669.2	NA	74
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	3	3	1	2	3	4	NA	131
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	252.3	166.0	0.0	0.0	238.7	159.1	NA	117
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	15	12	16	20	21	24	32	48
Children whose parents divorced	1.3%	1.6%	1.9%	1.2%	0.9%	NA	NA	14
Births out of wedlock	40.5%	39.3%	42.1%	42.1%	42.7%	43.0%	NA	110
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	9.30%	9.30%	6.00%	6.00%	7.00%	8.6%	NA	115
Average per capita income	$14,582	$15,046	$15,363	$16,309	$17,561	NA	NA	92
Fiscal stress level	NA	166.20	166.23	165.31	164.87	NA	NA	66
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	40%	41%	42%	44%	44%	46%	NA	101
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	44.7	51.3	53.2	48.2	41.1	42.3	38.2	51
Average daily school membership	5,043	5,030	5,051	5,057	5,024	5,048	NA	83
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	73.1	72.3	75.4	75.2	77.5	80.9	NA	109
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	269	289	331	79

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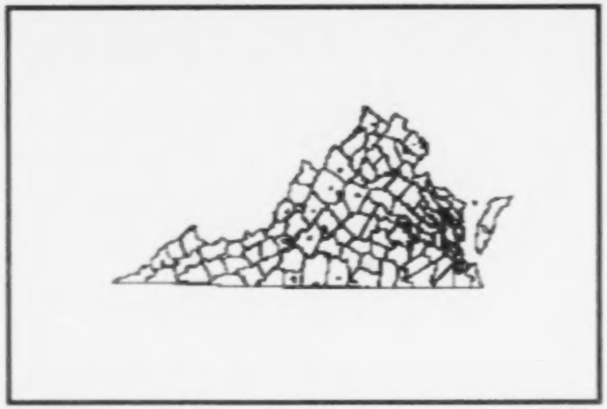

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	98	1.07%	53	45	71	26	0	0	1
1 - 4 Years	400	4.37%	200	200	283	115	0	0	2
5 - 11 Years	755	8.25%	400	355	515	236	0	1	3
12 - 14 Years	318	3.48%	158	160	209	107	0	1	1
15 - 17 Years	281	3.07%	141	140	174	107	0	0	0
18 - 44 Years	2,849	31.15%	1,426	1,423	2,032	804	2	1	10
45 - 64 Years	2,369	25.90%	1,147	1,222	1,843	519	2	3	2
Over 65 Years	2,077	22.71%	887	1,190	1,618	443	2	5	9
Total	9,147	100.00%	4,412	4,735	6,745	2,357	6	11	28
Percent			48.23%	51.77%	73.74%	25.77%	0.07%	0.12%	0.31%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	73.3%	70.6%	75.8%	80.5%	82.8%	82.1%	NA	87
Low birth-weight babies	7.9%	2.4%	1.1%	5.2%	3.1%	6.0%	NA	32
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	0.0	0.0	0.0	13.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	36%	30%	20%	30%	46%	42%	NA	18
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	1.6	1.6	3.3	1.1	1.6	4.3	NA	47
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	68.7	0.0	203.7	0.0	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	71%	61%	77%	81%	78%	82%	NA	68
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	83%	81%	79%	79%	79%	82%	NA	9
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	2%	3%	6%	4%	4%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.70	1.67	6.68	0.0	NA	1
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	7.4	14.7	50.7	21.4	28.6	28.6	NA	68
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.8	3.9	2.3	0.7	NA	12
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.0	9.3	1.5	0.0	NA	1
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	350.91	72.7	0.0	166.9	166.9	0.0	NA	1
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	2,381.0	5,843.1	3,338.9	6,177.0	NA	69
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	2	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	711.7	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	4	3	3	3	4	6	12	86
Children whose parents divorced	1.2%	1.4%	1.1%	1.0%	1.8%	NA	NA	112
Births out of wedlock	27.7%	34.1%	35.2%	27.3%	37.5%	38.8%	NA	96
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	3.90%	5.10%	4.70%	5.20%	3.90%	3.6%	NA	33
Average per capita income	$17,805	$18,675	$19,654	$20,768	$21,864	NA	NA	32
Fiscal stress level	NA	158.53	159.23	157.95	157.71	NA	NA	29
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	31%	33%	33%	35%	34%	33%	NA	63
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	82.5	99.6	104.3	105.3	94.0	74.0	67.5	94
Average daily school membership	1,180	1,194	1,229	1,290	1,331	1,347	NA	17
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	74.2	81.1	79.3	69.7	72.4	82.2	NA	119
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	122	125	125	119

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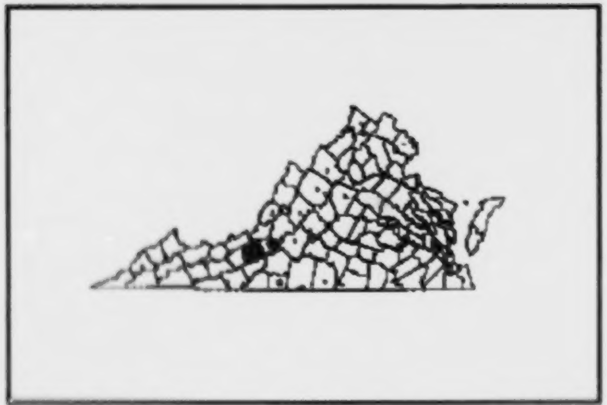

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	841	1.11%	462	379	746	40	0	53	2
1 - 4 Years	3,363	4.45%	1,737	1,626	3,017	135	1	170	40
5 - 11 Years	5,315	7.03%	2,733	2,582	4,832	277	4	168	34
12 - 14 Years	2,187	2.89%	1,144	1,043	2,018	110	0	49	10
15 - 17 Years	2,304	3.05%	1,203	1,101	2,134	121	1	32	16
18 - 44 Years	42,971	56.82%	23,154	19,817	37,714	1,830	40	2,804	583
45 - 64 Years	11,975	15.83%	5,898	6,077	11,416	361	19	114	65
Over 65 Years	6,672	8.82%	2,688	3,984	6,377	237	0	40	18
Total	75,628	100.00%	39,019	36,609	68,254	3,111	65	3,430	768
Percent			51.59%	48.41%	90.25%	4.41%	0.09%	4.54%	1.02%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	81.5%	82.2%	82.5%	82.7%	84.8%	83.0%	NA	83
Low birth-weight babies	5.8%	5.1%	5.6%	6.4%	7.5%	3.9%	NA	4
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	7.4	7.4	5.1	4.7	2.5	1.3	NA	43
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	13%	19%	30%	27%	28%	30%	NA	63
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	4.5	3.9	3.7	5.9	4.0	4.1	NA	42
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	57.4	37.9	37.5	18.4	9.2	36.8	NA	100

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	90%	84%	88%	84%	89%	88%	NA	36
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	72%	59%	71%	70%	66%	65%	NA	72
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	5%	5%	6%	6%	7%	5%	NA	81
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.84	1.78	2.89	1.6	NA	34
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	31.3	21.8	24.5	32.7	26.3	19.1	NA	27
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.7	4.6	2.2	6.2	NA	124
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.7	4.4	4.8	3.2	NA	101
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	70.8	163.3	161.2	0.0	22.3	22.3	NA	27
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	3,661.1	7,481.6	8,439.1	7,392.6	NA	80
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	2	1	1	2	0	2	NA	113
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	45.1	44.9	43.4	0.0	43.4	NA	85
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	23	30	20	26	34	27	25	61
Children whose parents divorced	1.7%	1.9%	1.5%	1.8%	1.5%	NA	NA	86
Births out of wedlock	19.9%	19.7%	21.3%	21.9%	20.7%	21.2%	NA	24
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	7.50%	5.60%	5.30%	3.80%	3.20%	3.6%	NA	33
Average per capita income	$13,056	$13,743	$14,172	$14,918	$15,929	NA	NA	113
Fiscal stress level	NA	167.30	167.55	167.40	167.25	NA	NA	84
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	22%	24%	26%	29%	33%	29%	NA	49
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	61.1	70.9	73.7	70.3	67.2	57.2	53.2	77
Average daily school membership	9,401	8,438	8,539	8,652	8,797	8,931	NA	104
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	73.8	72.7	74.3	77.8	82.6	81.6	NA	113
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	2,212	2,497	2,421	22

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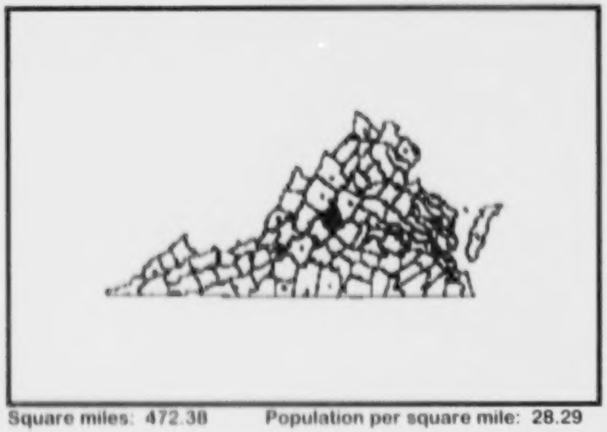

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	159	1.19%	64	95	129	29	0	0	1
1 - 4 Years	684	5.12%	345	339	535	144	0	1	4
5 - 11 Years	1,300	9.73%	654	646	985	288	1	6	20
12 - 14 Years	521	3.90%	280	241	396	118	3	0	4
15 - 17 Years	522	3.91%	264	258	377	138	1	1	5
18 - 44 Years	4,921	36.83%	2,479	2,442	3,847	999	6	13	56
45 - 64 Years	3,043	22.77%	1,496	1,547	2,462	569	3	4	5
Over 65 Years	2,213	16.56%	956	1,257	1,811	390	3	3	6
Total	13,363	100.01%	6,538	6,825	10,542	2,675	17	28	101
Percent			48.93%	51.07%	78.89%	20.02%	0.13%	0.21%	0.76%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	76.2%	83.9%	85.3%	84.3%	76.9%	87.9%	NA	44
Low birth-weight babies	6.0%	8.1%	5.2%	11.4%	4.3%	9.2%	NA	107
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	0.0	6.7	8.6	7.1	0.0	11.6	NA	103
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	42%	22%	26%	30%	30%	33%	NA	50
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	0.3	2.9	7.6	1.6	1.3	2.5	NA	17
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	40.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	74%	72%	73%	75%	64%	79%	NA	85
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	67%	55%	57%	66%	56%	73%	NA	40
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	2%	2%	2%	6%	8%	NA	124
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.89	14.38	5.75	12.5	NA	99
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	20.2	16.1	12.0	27.1	27.1	27.1	NA	62
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.4	6.3	6.2	1.5	NA	31
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.8	1.9	1.9	0.5	NA	16
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	95.9	287.6	NA	92
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	2,348.3	2,972.2	3,259.8	3,643.3	NA	37
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	11	12	14	12	13	10	6	104
Children whose parents divorced	1.6%	1.4%	2.0%	2.3%	1.0%	NA	NA	28
Births out of wedlock	31.1%	26.2%	40.5%	35.7%	30.8%	28.9%	NA	68
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	6.60%	7.70%	4.90%	4.00%	3.70%	4.2%	NA	53
Average per capita income	$14,358	$15,370	$15,882	$16,503	$17,609	NA	NA	90
Fiscal stress level	NA	162.62	162.01	160.95	160.86	NA	NA	44
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	29%	32%	33%	35%	33%	35%	NA	70
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	56.5	70.3	74.2	65.3	56.5	45.2	38.3	52
Average daily school membership	2,009	2,037	2,068	2,063	2,088	2,065	NA	32
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	75.6	78.0	71.1	72.7	78.3	79.0	NA	96
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	223	235	235	96

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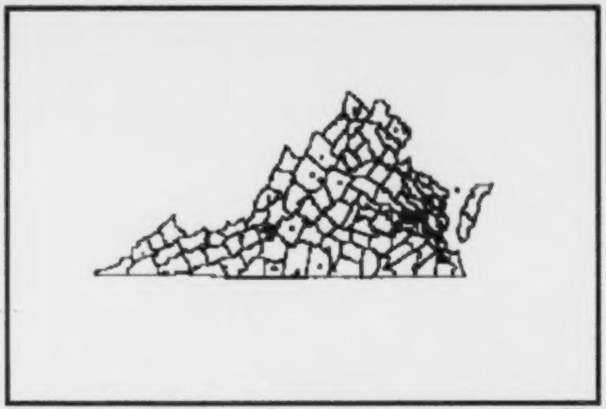

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	148	1.31%	76	72	116	26	3	3	0
1 - 4 Years	632	5.62%	335	29	509	105	8	8	4
5 - 11 Years	1,083	9,61%	569	514	807	258	9	5	4
12 - 14 Years	447	3.96%	227	220	332	102	7	2	4
15 - 17 Years	509	4.51%	267	242	371	125	4	2	7
18 - 44 Years	4,876	43.25%	2,427	2,449	3,694	1,061	75	17	29
45 - 64 Years	2,555	22.66%	1,289	1,266	1,986	534	20	3	12
Over 65 Years	1,022	9.07%	451	571	727	282	12	0	1
Total	11,274	99.99%	5,641	5,633	8,542	2,493	138	40	61
Percent			50.04%	49.96%	75.77%	22.11%	1.22%	0.35%	0.54%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	88.0%	90.1%	86.4%	86.2%	88.3%	91.8%	NA	16
Low birth-weight babies	7.8%	12.3%	10.5%	9.4%	9.0%	7.0%	NA	62
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	6.0	0.0	30.9	14.5	13.8	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	21%	25%	19%	32%	34%	37%	NA	33
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	1.8	1.4	1.8	4.3	5.0	4.3	NA	45
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	47.2	46.7	0.0	0.0	46.2	NA	108

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	92%	88%	91%	89%	93%	94%	NA	8
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	67%	69%	65%	73%	63%	76%	NA	24
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	3%	2%	3%	4%	3%	3%	NA	22
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.22	3.14	4.18	6.3	NA	75
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	21.6	4.3	21.3	20.7	8.3	8.3	NA	4
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.3	1.5	4.0	9.1	NA	133
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.3	1.9	6.2	1.4	NA	50
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	111.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	209.2	NA	77
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	2,143.6	5,125.5	5,020.9	6,380.8	NA	71
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	1	1	0	1	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	206.2	203.3	0.0	0.0	196.5	0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	3	1	3	6	9	14	9	96
Children whose parents divorced	0.6%	1.6%	1.0%	1.9%	2.0%	NA	NA	123
Births out of wedlock	21.7%	15.4%	26.5%	23.9%	20.7%	22.8%	NA	36
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	5.10%	5.70%	4.80%	4.30%	3.20%	3.3%	NA	28
Average per capita income	$17,549	$18,364	$19,363	$20,398	$21,842	NA	NA	33
Fiscal stress level	NA	151.77	151.81	152.50	150.97	NA	NA	11
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	16%	16%	16%	19%	18	16%	NA	9
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	25.3	35.8	44.8	45.0	36.5	30.1	28.0	35
Average daily school membership	2,522	2,633	2,411	2,637	2,760	2,862	NA	57
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	81.1	83.1	75.7	79.6	76.9	20.2	NA	1
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	123	123	144	116

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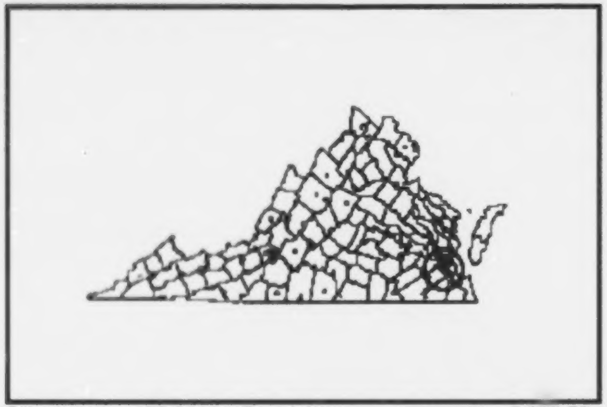

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	3,401	1.90%	1,706	1,695	1,815	1,391	6	91	98
1 - 4 Years	13,199	7.37%	6,782	6,417	6,900	5,453	27	383	436
5 - 11 Years	19,042	10.63%	9,834	9,208	9,553	8,282	76	505	626
12 - 14 Years	7,191	4.01%	3,661	3,530	3,540	3,124	46	260	221
15 - 17 Years	6,548	3.66%	3,245	3,303	3,303	2,806	33	213	193
18 - 44 Years	82,974	46.32%	42,257	40,717	49,211	28,758	386	2,466	2,153
45 - 64 Years	29,628	16.54%	13,847	15,781	19,609	8,596	77	959	387
Over 65 Years	17,152	9.57%	6,661	10,491	11,981	4,832	19	174	146
Total	179,135	100.00%	87,993	91,142	105,912	63,242	670	5,051	4,260
Percent			49.12%	50.88%	59.12%	35.30%	0.37%	2.82%	2.38%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	73.1%	73.3%	76.9%	78.4%	80.9%	81.6%	NA	89
Low birth-weight babies	8.4%	7.7%	9.0%	8.7%	9.1%	8.8%	NA	103
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	10.9	10.1	10.6	9.9	14.4	12.0	NA	105
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	14%	15%	23%	26%	25%	20%	NA	115
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	6.7	5.9	5.6	7.4	8.7	8.5	NA	92
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	34.3	28.0	23.1	38.0	25.4	38.0	NA	101

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	83%	85%	81%	82%	84%	83%	NA	65
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	71%	59%	69%	70%	67%	71%	NA	47
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	7%	7%	6%	7%	7%	6%	NA	102
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	30.59	21.54	20.16	17.5	NA	114
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	58.1	55.1	61.3	53.3	53.9	45.7	NA	108
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.9	3.3	1.9	2.2	NA	47
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.9	10.9	5.6	4.7	NA	121
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	862.5	734.7	689.8	480.4	1,259.2	720.6	NA	122
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	14,935.9	15,539.7	15,095.7	19,033.4	NA	119
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	2	3	1	3	0	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	32.6	78.5	79.0	61.1	15.3	45.8	NA	86
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	334	309	296	328	404	522	605	5
Children whose parents divorced	1.6%	1.7%	1.6%	1.5%	1.5%	NA	NA	87
Births out of wedlock	34.8%	35.1%	36.5%	36.5%	37.1%	37.3%	NA	92
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	6.00%	7.00%	6.30%	6.40%	5.60%	5.2%	NA	75
Average per capita income	$15,975	$16,816	$17,198	$17,708	$18,703	NA	NA	76
Fiscal stress level	NA	175.70	175.49	177.04	178.13	NA	NA	125
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	36%	38%	40%	40%	44%	48%	NA	106
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	135.8	144.8	153.9	155.5	155.8	139.1	111.9	119
Average daily school membership	28,782	29,390	29,842	30,373	30,656	30,845	NA	127
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	62.8	61.5	64.7	62.1	64.1	64.5	NA	4
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	6,445	6,933	7,252	8

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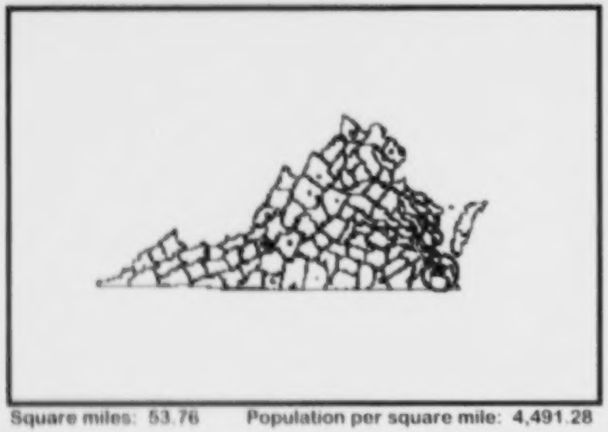

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	4,302	1.78%	2,213	2,089	2,036	1,967	10	138	151
1 - 4 Years	16,020	6.63%	8,149	7,871	7,249	7,742	33	499	497
5 - 11 Years	22,153	9.18%	11,267	10,886	9,349	11,534	96	648	526
12 - 14 Years	7,842	3.25%	4,002	3,840	2,923	4,497	25	271	126
15 - 17 Years	6,947	2.88%	3,472	3,475	2,575	3,964	31	272	105
18 - 44 Years	123,449	51.13%	71,992	51,457	67,881	47,664	746	4,092	3,066
45 - 64 Years	33,943	14.06%	15,552	18,391	19,088	12,902	159	1,384	410
Over 65 Years	26,791	11.10%	10,343	16,448	17,280	8,812	41	428	230
Total	241,447	100.01%	126,990	114,457	128,381	99,082	1,141	7,732	5,111
Percent			52.60%	47.40%	53.17%	41.04%	0.47%	3.20%	2.12%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	68.2%	69.6%	71.7%	70.1%	71.7%	76.5%	NA	117
Low birth-weight babies	10.7%	10.5%	10.2%	10.2%	10.3%	9.3%	NA	108
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	13.0	17.9	13.1	12.8	13.8	11.5	NA	102
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	40%	40%	45%	49%	45%	60%	NA	2
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	8.0	11.6	13.5	14.8	12.3	11.5	NA	114
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	55.0	27.1	42.7	28.3	43.5	32.6	NA	92

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	84%	83%	80%	79%	79%	80%	NA	80
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	60%	50%	52%	53%	44%	53%	NA	111
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	9%	10%	11%	12%	12%	12%	NA	135
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	41.98	42.40	31.24	23.9	NA	127
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	95.3	97.9	92.5	88.9	89.8	84.6	NA	133
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.8	2.5	1.9	2.3	NA	49
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	7.4	4.7	7.0	7.3	NA	132
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	1,139.2	1,381.1	1,288.7	1,230.6	1,129.2	953.4	NA	127
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	16,115.0	14,842.1	16,404.1	13,178.7	NA	108
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	5	0	3	5	1	2	NA	113
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	87.0	56.9	159.7	143.9	115.2	158.3	NA	116
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	433	385	352	382	444	432	397	6
Children whose parents divorced	1.5%	1.5%	1.5%	1.4%	1.4%	NA	NA	74
Births out of wedlock	43.3%	43.1%	45.0%	44.8%	46.6%	47.3%	NA	118
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	6.20%	7.40%	6.60%	7.10%	6.20%	6.6%	NA	94
Average per capita income	$15,817	$16,424	$17,180	$17,888	$19,056	NA	NA	67
Fiscal stress level	NA	184.58	184.56	184.67	186.95	NA	NA	136
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	56%	54%	55%	60%	63%	63%	NA	129
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	205.3	223.0	235.3	236.0	223.9	194.9	154.1	132
Average daily school membership	35,014	35,333	34,774	34,352	34,352	35,059	NA	129
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	66.7	62.9	67.5	70.8	71.7	71.4	NA	45
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	7,209	7,512	8,316	7

NORTHAMPTON

Square miles: 207.38 Population per square mile: 62.66

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	173	1.33%	84	89	67	100	0	0	6
1 - 4 Years	672	5.17%	332	340	261	383	2	2	24
5 - 11 Years	1,398	10.76%	702	696	544	805	0	3	46
12 - 14 Years	552	4.25%	272	280	208	333	1	0	10
15 - 17 Years	506	3.89%	247	259	197	294	0	1	14
18 - 44 Years	4,226	32.52%	1,985	2,241	2,071	2,027	13	6	109
45 - 64 Years	2,817	21.68%	1,255	1,562	1,538	1,236	5	5	33
Over 65 Years	2,650	20.39%	1,120	1,530	1,605	1,039	1	0	5
Total	12,994	99.99%	5,997	6,997	6,491	6,217	22	17	247
Percent			46.15%	53.85%	49.95%	47.85%	0.17%	0.13%	1.90%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	68.4%	68.2%	64.4%	69.1%	81.8%	77.2%	NA	115
Low birth-weight babies	7.3%	6.3%	13.7%	10.9%	7.3%	9.9%	NA	119
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	5.2	5.7	6.8	6.1	14.6	11.7	NA	104
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	12%	16%	23%	16%	18%	24%	NA	98
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	3.9	0.9	4.5	2.4	1.8	14.5	NA	127
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	38.0	38.1	0.0	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	62%	70%	68%	63%	60%	69%	NA	127
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	46%	46%	42%	57%	36%	38%	NA	132
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	8%	6%	5%	6%	6%	NA	102
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	19.14	42.53	23.63	25.5	NA	129
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	43.3	83.0	51.0	57.9	88.8	73.4	NA	132
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.1	6.5	4.1	0.8	NA	15
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.9	3.2	1.6	1.2	NA	43
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	194.2	1,058.7	574.2	661.6	472.6	567.1	NA	112
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	8,038.3	3,213.6	5,482.0	9,640.8	NA	94
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	1	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	401.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	14	15	14	16	17	17	16	77
Children whose parents divorced	0.9%	1.1%	0.8%	0.9%	1.3%	NA	NA	58
Births out of wedlock	46.6%	51.1%	61.0%	53.3%	59.9%	53.2%	NA	125
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	9.30%	9.50%	7.30%	6.60%	8.90%	8.1%	NA	109
Average per capita income	$14,883	$15,479	$15,633	$16,847	$17,458	NA	NA	98
Fiscal stress level	NA	172.15	174.17	173.69	173.10	NA	NA	106
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	52%	57%	57%	58%	59%	60%	NA	127
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	175.9	184.3	183.3	180.2	178.4	156.6	116.6	122
Average daily school membership	2,530	2,447	2,431	2,464	2,452	2,472	NA	41
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	77.5	73.7	76.2	54.7	59.5	64.6	NA	5
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	306	429	517	62

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Square miles: 192.31 Population per square mile: 57.83

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	105	0.94%	49	56	55	49	1	0	0
1 - 4 Years	473	4.25%	224	249	277	192	0	2	2
5 - 11 Years	931	8.37%	455	476	503	423	0	0	5
12 - 14 Years	387	3.48%	194	193	226	159	0	0	2
15 - 17 Years	322	2.90%	164	158	175	146	0	1	0
18 - 44 Years	3,173	28.53%	1,523	1,650	2,022	1,122	3	9	17
45 - 64 Years	2,902	26.09%	1,358	1,544	2,197	691	5	4	5
Over 65 Years	2,829	25.44%	1,276	1,553	2,173	649	0	3	4
Total	11,122	100.00%	5,243	5,879	7,628	3,431	9	19	35
Percent			47.14%	52.86%	68.58%	30.85%	0.08%	0.17%	0.31%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	74.2%	71.0%	81.7%	83.5%	77.6%	70.9%	NA	132
Low birth-weight babies	7.3%	3.7%	7.3%	10.4%	9.3%	5.8%	NA	26
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	0.0	0.0	12.2	0.0	9.3	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	33%	49%	35%	53%	42%	44%	NA	10
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	14.8	4.1	6.3	4.5	5.0	8.1	NA	90
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	56.1	55.8	0.0	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	70%	69%	74%	63%	74%	71%	NA	119
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	62%	46%	49%	54%	50%	52%	NA	115
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	2%	3%	2%	5%	10%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	7.19	12.69	38.08	9.9	NA	92
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	33.3	32.7	32.5	38.0	38.0	19.0	NA	26
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.0	0.0	5.8	3.9	NA	93
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.0	1.3	2.6	0.6	NA	18
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	145.3	0.0	282.1	0.0	282.1	NA	91
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	6,187.1	6,064.9	10,578.3	5,500.7	NA	58
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	0	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	310.6	NA	130
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	14	12	11	6	4	4	4	116
Children whose parents divorced	1.0%	1.6%	1.4%	1.1%	1.1%	NA	NA	43
Births out of wedlock	33.1%	25.2%	31.7%	42.6%	48.6%	40.8%	NA	104
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	10.80%	13.80%	13.50%	12.90%	12.70%	12.7%	NA	132
Average per capita income	$17,659	$18,993	$19,650	$20,550	$21,498	NA	NA	34
Fiscal stress level	NA	156.83	156.88	158.02	157.42	NA	NA	28
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	39%	42%	44%	49%	48%	46%	NA	101
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	70.3	77.0	83.4	74.4	73.9	55.5	47.3	68
Average daily school membership	1,361	1,437	1,469	1,520	1,544	1,543	NA	21
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	67.5	68.1	65.9	64.8	67.4	67.3	NA	15
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	143	143	NA	117

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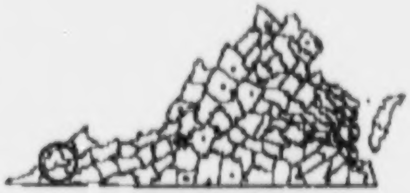

Data are combined for Norton City and Wise County
for children whose parents divorced.

Square miles: 7.26 Population per square mile: 567.17

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	46	1.12%	23	23	41	3	1	0	1
1 - 4 Years	206	5.00%	98	108	187	16	1	0	2
5 - 11 Years	425	10.32%	227	198	370	35	2	9	9
12 - 14 Years	197	4.78%	105	92	176	16	0	4	1
15 - 17 Years	185	4.49%	93	92	159	20	2	4	0
18 - 44 Years	1,611	39.10%	760	851	1,458	123	4	16	10
45 - 64 Years	854	20.73%	376	478	816	31	0	2	5
Over 65 Years	596	14.47%	207	389	563	26	3	1	3
Total	4,120	100.01%	1,889	2,231	3,770	270	13	36	31
Percent			45.85%	54.15%	91.50%	6.55%	0.32%	0.7%	0.75%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	75.0%	78.5%	84.6%	84.7%	82.7%	84.2%	NA	74
Low birth-weight babies	7.4%	13.8%	9.0%	5.1%	11.5%	3.5%	NA	3
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	0.0	15.4	25.6	33.9	19.2	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	49%	44%	37%	38%	41%	40%	NA	19
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	1.9	1.9	2.9	0.9	3.8	9.4	NA	99
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	122.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	88%	86%	78%	79%	91%	82%	NA	68
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	72%	63%	71%	61%	67%	75%	NA	31
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	5%	7%	7%	5%	5%	10%	NA	133
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.00	7.85	7.85	0.0	NA	1
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	96.8	54.3	77.8	21.7	65.2	32.6	NA	78
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.3	9.2	4.9	0.0	NA	1
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.5	1.2	4.9	5.1	NA	126
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	261.8	523.6	523.6	NA	109
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	5,080.2	4,188.5	5,759.2	18,324.6	NA	118
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	540.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	11	10	10	6	4	8	10	92
Children whose parents divorced	1.5%	1.7%	2.3%	2.2%	2.7%	NA	NA	130
Births out of wedlock	26.5%	32.3%	34.6%	15.3%	42.3%	24.6%	NA	40
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	10.00%	9.00%	8.60%	9.70%	13.10%	11.0%	NA	128
Average per capita income	$15,082	$16,101	$16,810	$17,376	$16,863	NA	NA	103
Fiscal stress level	NA	173.79	174.90	175.00	174.12	NA	NA	113
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	36%	39%	40%	41%	39%	40%	NA	91
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	199.3	203.2	213.2	199.2	184.1	179.4	145.4	131
Average daily school membership	879	902	867	866	820	791	NA	4
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	69.9	69.1	68	66.9	70.9	77.7	NA	87
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	217	237	247	93

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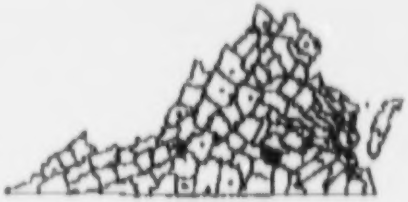

Square miles: 314.73 Population per square mile: 48.53

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	169	1.11%	79	90	80	87	0	0	2
1 - 4 Years	689	4.51%	365	324	390	292	1	5	1
5 - 11 Years	1,370	8.97%	678	692	725	633	0	8	4
12 - 14 Years	600	3.93%	307	293	301	295	1	1	2
15 - 17 Years	570	3.73%	295	275	290	278	0	1	1
18 - 44 Years	5,775	37.81%	3,289	2,486	3,008	2,689	34	22	22
45 - 64 Years	3,244	21.24%	1,593	1,651	2,032	1,197	4	5	6
Over 65 Years	2,857	18.70%	1,162	1,695	1,744	1,107	0	3	3
Total	15,274	100.00%	7,768	7,506	8,570	6,578	40	45	41
Percent			50.86%	49.14%	56.11%	43.07%	0.26%	0.29%	0.27%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	78.0%	74.4%	70.2%	78.7%	78.5%	83.2%	NA	82
Low birth-weight babies	12.8%	12.5%	10.7%	9.2%	12.4%	8.7%	NA	101
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	13.8	25.0	0.0	5.7	5.6	16.3	NA	119
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	31%	26%	35%	33%	44%	43	NA	14
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	4.7	4.7	5.9	6.5	1.8	4.1	NA	43
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	37.6	37.6	37.5	75.2	150.4	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	73%	69%	74%	65%	71%	78%	NA	88
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	58%	62%	51%	67%	64%	75%	NA	31
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	5%	8%	8%	8%	6%	6%	NA	102
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	15.61	27.35	15.38	6.8	NA	80
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	52.0	40.9	40.7	58.2	58.2	21.8	NA	43
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.2	4.5	8.6	0.8	NA	14
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.1	2.0	2.9	2.8	NA	87
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	264.6	262.0	260.2	427.4	512.8	598.3	NA	115
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	6,938.4	7,948.7	9,230.8	6,752.1	NA	76
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	1	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	175.4	NA	120
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	10	16	19	23	15	20	19	70
Children whose parents divorced	1.2%	2.2%	1.4%	1.9%	1.1%	NA	NA	37
Births out of wedlock	46.8%	46.3%	51.7%	42.0%	46.3%	35.9%	NA	87
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	7.20%	6.80%	6.50%	7.10%	5.50%	6.2%	NA	92
Average per capita income	$14,287	$14,701	$15,134	$15,723	$16,036	NA	NA	111
Fiscal stress level	NA	170.57	170.55	170.95	170.52	NA	NA	96
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	45%	47%	49%	52%	52%	49%	NA	108
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	107.1	122.1	126.0	126.5	132.7	110.9	95.1	113
Average daily school membership	2,366	2,376	2,415	2,456	2,453	2,477	NA	42
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	61.5	60	59.2	60.9	62.9	68.0	NA	22
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	126	92	100	124

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Square miles: 341.73 Population per square mile: 68.57

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	273	1.16%	132	141	228	40	0	1	4
1 - 4 Years	1,218	5.20%	609	609	1,002	202	0	5	9
5 - 11 Years	2,308	9.85%	1,227	1,081	1,835	449	3	4	17
12 - 14 Years	981	4.19%	497	484	753	217	1	2	8
15 - 17 Years	865	3.69%	450	415	678	176	0	2	9
18 - 44 Years	8,601	36.70%	4,229	4,372	7,111	1,397	20	29	44
45 - 64 Years	5,326	22.73%	2,584	2,742	4,630	671	8	7	10
Over 65 Years	3,862	16.48%	1,678	2,184	3,410	435	1	0	16
Total	23,434	100.00%	11,406	12,028	19,647	3,587	33	50	117
Percent			48.67%	51.33%	83.84%	15.31%	0.14%	0.21%	0.50%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	78.9%	84.5%	78.4%	83.1%	83.3%	85.4%	NA	63
Low birth-weight babies	4.3%	5.8%	6.9%	7.6%	6.1%	5.1%	NA	13
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	3.6	3.6	19.3	10.3	10.2	14.6	NA	114
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	23%	27%	29%	27%	38%	31%	NA	56
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	4.8	4.6	1.8	3.9	3.7	3.7	NA	37
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	23.0	0.0	88.8	0.0	22.2	NA	72

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	81%	81%	76%	74%	79%	76%	NA	105
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	66%	63%	71%	75%	75%	72%	NA	45
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	9%	7%	7%	8%	7%	7%	NA	118
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	8.44	8.13	10.83	6.0	NA	72
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	43.4	30.2	42.4	50.6	41.0	31.3	NA	73
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.3	2.6	3.9	5.3	NA	117
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.4	3.2	1.3	2.9	NA	91
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	175.3	228.7	168.8	108.3	216.7	270.9	NA	89
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	1,575.7	NA	3,141.9	4,550.4	NA	41
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	1	0	1	0	1	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	123.0	0.0	120.2	0.0	115.6	115.6	NA	108
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	12	10	9	8	11	11	12	86
Children whose parents divorced	1.2%	1.2%	1.8%	1.1%	1.4%	NA	NA	76
Births out of wedlock	28.3%	28.2%	31.7%	32.8%	39.6%	36.1%	NA	89
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	8.50%	8.40%	5.30%	4.60%	4.70%	5.4%	NA	81
Average per capita income	$15,770	$16,114	$17,116	$17,603	$18,893	NA	NA	74
Fiscal stress level	NA	159.08	159.07	158.62	160.34	NA	NA	40
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	26%	28%	30%	29%	30%	29%	NA	49
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	41.0	48.4	51.9	47.8	44.1	38.8	34.5	45
Average daily school membership	3,769	3,775	3,785	3,781	3,807	3,791	NA	68
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	71.6	70.5	73.3	74.8	77.1	77.2	NA	85
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	452	687	631	57

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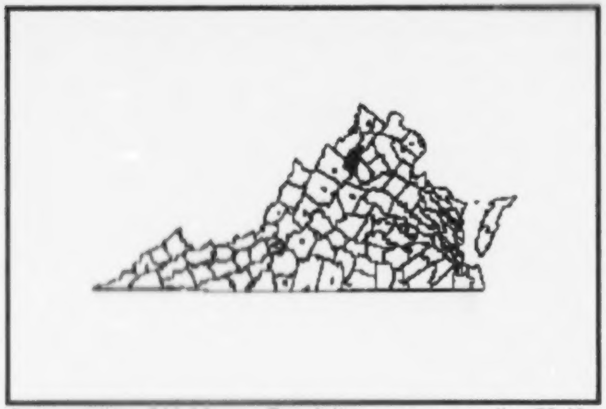

Square miles: 311.14 Population per square mile: 72.46

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	267	1.18%	132	135	254	8	0	5	0
1 - 4 Years	1,165	5.17%	570	595	1,112	29	3	4	17
5 - 11 Years	2,067	9.17%	1,072	995	2,008	36	3	7	13
12 - 14 Years	899	3.99%	462	437	871	16	4	5	3
15 - 17 Years	866	3.84%	437	430	841	14	2	5	4
18 - 44 Years	8,381	37.17%	4,241	4,140	8,141	165	8	28	39
45 - 64 Years	5,301	23.51%	2,656	2,645	5,145	119	7	11	19
Over 65 Years	3,600	15.97%	1,478	2,122	3,508	73	1	7	11
Total	22,546	100.00%	11,047	11,499	21,880	460	28	72	106
Percent			49.00%	51.00%	97.05%	2.04%	0.12%	0.32%	0.47%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	83.0%	81.7%	83.0%	83.5%	85.2%	83.3%	NA	81
Low birth-weight babies	5.1%	5.0%	8.9%	4.0%	7.4%	5.6%	NA	21
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	7.2	15.3	0.0	4.0	8.7	3.7	NA	57
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	26%	30%	30%	29%	35%	38%	NA	28
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	4.0	1.9	2.5	1.9	4.0	4.0	NA	40
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	98.3	48.6	48.5	24.2	24.2	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	81%	86%	83%	89%	84%	82%	NA	68
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	67%	56%	69%	74%	74%	76%	NA	24
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	5%	6%	5%	3%	3%	3%	NA	24
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.58	2.83	10.76	5.1	NA	67
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	52.3	40.1	40.2	39.5	48.8	53.5	NA	121
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.7	4.7	4.0	5.1	NA	113
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.6	2.6	0.3	0.9	NA	26
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	176.0	520.8	115.3	56.7	113.3	226.6	NA	81
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	6,340.1	5,722.4	6,458.9	4,929.2	NA	50
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	1	1	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	115.5	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	12	6	8	10	8	8	18	72
Children whose parents divorced	2.0%	1.8%	1.4%	2.2%	1.4%	NA	NA	73
Births out of wedlock	30.8%	27.1%	30.8%	30.9%	31.7%	39.4%	NA	98
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	12.90%	11.10%	7.30%	6.90%	7.40%	7%	NA	98
Average per capita income	$14,372	$15,151	$15,719	$16,439	$17,139	NA	NA	100
Fiscal stress level	NA	164.20	164.91	164.13	164.33	NA	NA	62
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	19%	24%	27%	29%	31%	32%	NA	59
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	35.8	41.5	35.5	32.5	34.4	27.4	24.1	26
Average daily school membership	3,391	3,428	3,444	3,431	3,481	3,516	NA	66
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	68.0	66.6	69.4	70.0	70.2	73.6	NA	65
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	20	90	157	111

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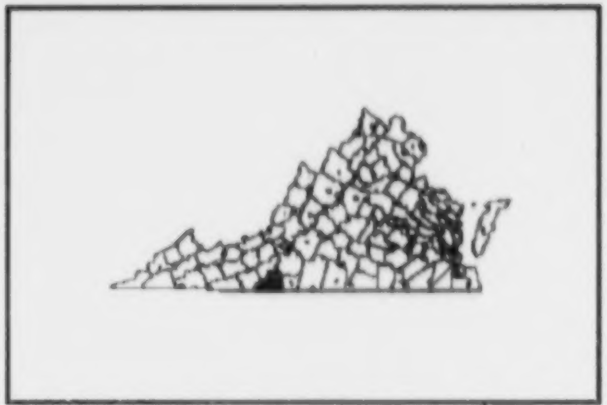

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	162	0.92%	82	80	146	12	0	0	4
1 - 4 Years	772	4.38%	390	382	682	78	0	2	10
5 - 11 Years	1,431	8.12%	715	716	1,279	130	2	2	18
12 - 14 Years	733	4.16%	363	370	645	82	0	0	6
15 - 17 Years	749	4.25%	392	357	648	93	1	1	6
18 - 44 Years	6,327	35.91%	3,243	3,084	5,713	553	4	5	52
45 - 64 Years	4,430	25.14%	2,199	2,231	4,175	239	4	5	7
Over 65 Years	3,014	17.11%	1,275	1,739	2,831	166	5	6	6
Total	17,618	99.99%	8,659	8,959	16,119	1,353	16	21	109
Percent			49.15%	50.85%	91.49%	7.68%	0.09%	0.12%	0.62%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	84.9%	81.4%	84.2%	81.5%	81.2%	79.4%	NA	102
Low birth-weight babies	6.5%	5.8%	7.2%	5.4%	8.8%	8.8%	NA	102
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	10.8	12.8	26.3	6.0	0.0	10.3	NA	97
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	12%	20%	18%	36%	33%	30%	NA	63
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	4.1	9.5	10.1	9.4	11.2	9.6	NA	102
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	67.5	135.4	0.0	0.0	34.1	NA	96

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	83%	89%	90%	93%	93%	95%	NA	7
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	76%	80%	92%	88%	91%	91%	NA	2
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	5%	5%	5%	5%	6%	5%	NA	81
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.36	2.70	2.70	0.7	NA	22
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	28.0	19.7	22.5	44.8	44.8	19.6	NA	30
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.9	0.4	2.3	3.1	NA	74
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.5	1.9	1.2	3.1	NA	96
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	67.5	NA	45
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	5,037.4	3,913.6	2,631.6	3,306.3	NA	31
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	1	1	0	0	0	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	268.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	2	3	3	7	9	11	9	96
Children whose parents divorced	1.8%	1.6%	1.7%	1.8%	1.8%	NA	NA	115
Births out of wedlock	19.5%	21.2%	19.1%	25.0%	27.6%	27.8%	NA	65
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	7.50%	5.00%	3.70%	4.50%	6.60%	5.1%	NA	73
Average per capita income	$13,991	$14,433	$14,992	$15,735	$15,810	NA	NA	119
Fiscal stress level	NA	165.90	165.00	164.35	164.18	NA	NA	61
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	25%	27%	27%	27%	29%	32%	NA	59
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	51.2	59.9	57.5	54.8	61.6	62.6	55.4	81
Average daily school membership	2,691	2,666	2,662	2,610	2,588	2,595	NA	47
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	74.8	69.0	75.0	71.8	73.6	73.0	NA	57
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	105	151	151	113

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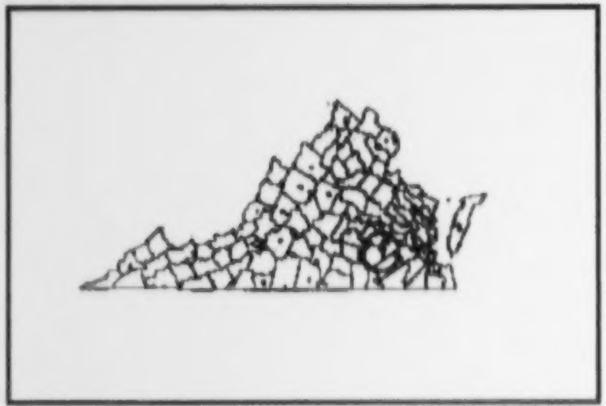

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	608	1.58%	304	304	87	507	0	4	10
1 - 4 Years	2,361	6.12%	1,220	1,141	334	1,981	5	18	23
5 - 11 Years	3,679	9.54%	1,823	1,856	399	3,227	11	24	18
12 - 14 Years	1,438	3.73%	744	694	155	1,271	1	7	4
15 - 17 Years	1,326	3.44%	662	664	182	1,129	2	8	5
18 - 44 Years	15,540	40.28%	7,220	8,320	2,911	12,339	38	138	114
45 - 64 Years	7,636	19.79%	3,368	4,268	2,428	5,046	21	102	39
Over 65 Years	5,995	15.54%	2,239	3,756	2,956	2,987	8	21	23
Total	38,583	100.02%	17,580	21,003	9,452	28,487	86	322	236
Percent			45.56%	54.44%	24.50%	73.83%	0.22%	0.83%	0.61%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	71.6%	68.4%	74.3%	74.8%	72.6%	74.8%	NA	123
Low birth-weight babies	10.6%	12.5%	11.6%	12.5%	13.3%	11.3%	NA	127
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	14.2	14.1	11.1	10.0	27.0	18.1	NA	124
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	35%	41%	27%	51%	49%	57%	NA	3
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	12.9	11.4	14.0	8.7	8.4	6.4	NA	74
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	40.5	26.4	53.3	66.9	40.1	66.9	NA	120

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	76%	75%	70%	75%	80%	74%	NA	112
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	37%	29%	46%	36%	43%	44%	NA	124
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	10%	9%	8%	8%	6%	5%	NA	81
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	23.88	25.33	24.24	19.2	NA	119
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	97.8	108.5	64.7	88.9	79.8	85.8	NA	134
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.5	0.8	3.3	1.0	NA	17
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.3	2.3	3.4	1.0	NA	30
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	1,148.1	1,253.2	881.7	1,772.8	868.3	1,193.9	NA	131
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	19,911.8	14,290.9	20,224.3	17,221.4	NA	117
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	0	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	159.4	0.0	0.0	75.4	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	108	93	100	103	107	109	103	18
Children whose parents divorced	1.4%	1.4%	1.4%	0.9%	1.0%	NA	NA	19
Births out of wedlock	65.5%	68.6%	70.3%	69.1%	72.1%	70.4	NA	135
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	10.30%	12.20%	9.40%	8.70%	7.00%	8.1%	NA	109
Average per capita income	$17,665	$18,321	$18,797	$18,738	$20,399	NA	NA	46
Fiscal stress level	NA	183.16	182.73	184.38	183.83	NA	NA	135
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	62%	68%	67%	68%	68%	68%	NA	132
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	239.3	256.5	273.2	269.3	253.0	229.9	183.2	134
Average daily school membership	5,749	5,872	5,972	6,073	6,142	6,125	NA	92
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	61.1	59.4	60.3	61.3	69.5	66.9	NA	13
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	1,133	1,167	1,351	37

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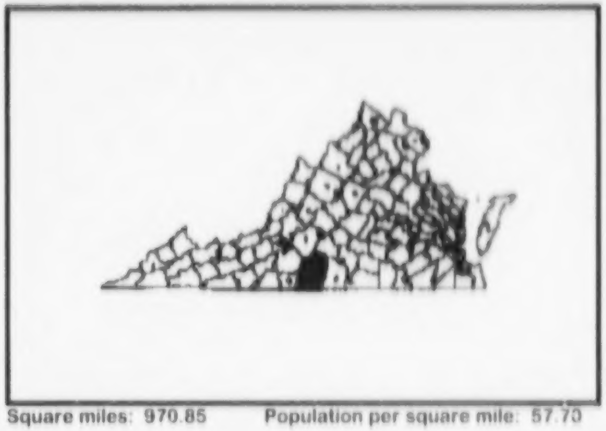

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	655	1.17%	334	321	440	209	0	0	6
1 - 4 Years	2,727	4.87%	1,424	1,303	1,857	851	0	7	12
5 - 11 Years	5,361	9.57%	2,722	2,639	3,583	1,746	8	8	16
12 - 14 Years	2,441	4.36%	1,286	1,155	1,574	858	2	1	6
15 - 17 Years	2,397	4.28%	1,271	1,126	1,490	897	3	3	4
18 - 44 Years	21,790	38.90%	10,801	10,989	15,278	6,382	25	28	77
45 - 64 Years	12,899	23.03%	6,344	6,555	9,660	3,185	7	20	27
Over 65 Years	7,744	13.83%	3,301	4,443	5,928	1,784	2	0	30
Total	56,014	100.01%	27,483	28,531	39,810	15,912	47	67	178
Percent			49.06%	50.94%	71.07%	28.41%	0.08%	0.12%	0.32%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	84.8%	81.6%	86.7%	88.4%	85.8%	87.8%	NA	48
Low birth-weight babies	6.1%	11.5%	8.7%	11.4%	8.6%	9.7%	NA	114
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	10.8	15.8	23.6	15.8	3.4	4.8	NA	66
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	18%	14%	13%	14%	10%	12%	NA	135
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	7.3	9.1	6.6	10.3	6.9	7.6	NA	84
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	9.5	9.5	66.5	38.0	38.0	28.5	NA	84

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	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	79%	81%	79%	79%	82%	77%	NA	96
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	66%	55%	60%	63%	56%	56%	NA	105
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	6%	6%	7%	7%	6%	7%	NA	118
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.21	8.06	6.61	6.4	NA	76
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	27.2	23.6	22.7	25.8	24.0	40.0	NA	98
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.0	3.6	1.7	2.3	NA	48
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.3	3.9	3.2	2.6	NA	77
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	148.8	126.8	42.1	20.7	20.7	62.0	NA	43
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	9,844.3	8,970.6	4,940.1	4,258.0	NA	40
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	3	2	3	4	2	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	42.6	85.1	42.6	125.2	0.0	166.9	NA	118
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	21	19	12	21	26	15	29	51
Children whose parents divorced	0.9%	1.1%	1.2%	1.1%	1.0%	NA	NA	16
Births out of wedlock	30.2%	33.7%	32.0%	32.0%	33.1%	27.5%	NA	61
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	9.80%	8.10%	5.60%	7.10%	8.60%	6.8%	NA	95
Average per capita income	$14,828	$15,676	$16,310	$16,719	$17,930	NA	NA	84
Fiscal stress level	NA	164.74	164.56	164.48	163.98	NA	NA	57
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	28%	31%	31%	33%	34%	34%	NA	66
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	55.1	62.6	58.7	55.6	52.9	48.1	38.4	53
Average daily school membership	9,634	9,476	9,357	9,186	9,256	9,333	NA	106
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	68.7	69.1	69.4	70.6	71.6	70.0	NA	35
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	440	445	515	64

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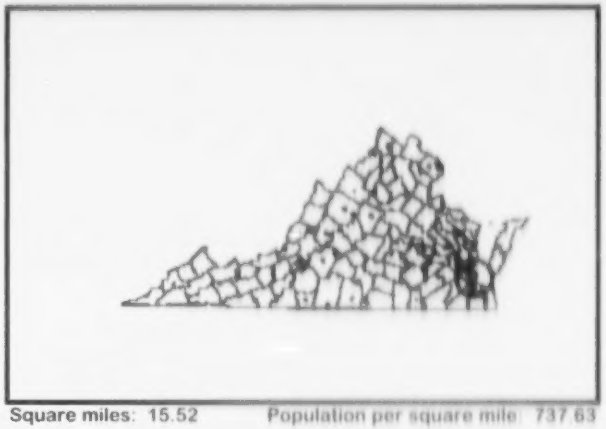

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	124	1.08%	67	57	121	0	0	0	3
1 - 4 Years	564	4.93%	312	252	543	7	0	10	4
5 - 11 Years	1,220	10.66%	650	570	1,167	7	1	27	18
12 - 14 Years	586	5.12%	296	290	559	2	3	14	8
15 - 17 Years	600	5.24%	288	312	575	3	2	16	4
18 - 44 Years	4,513	39.43%	2,221	2,292	4,352	43	12	65	41
45 - 64 Years	2,816	24.60%	1,469	1,347	2,753	16	6	25	16
Over 65 Years	1,024	8.95%	383	641	1,004	6	1	8	5
Total	11,447	100.01%	5,686	5,761	11,074	84	25	165	99
Percent			49.67%	50.33%	96.74%	0.73%	0.22%	1.44%	0.86%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	86.5%	86.6%	91.4%	88.3%	89.0%	94.1%	NA	5
Low birth-weight babies	3.8%	6.3%	1.9%	7.2%	3.0%	7.6%	NA	76
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	0.0	15.7	19.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	21%	15%	23%	38%	39%	24%	NA	98
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	0.6	0.9	0.7	1.1	1.3	1.1	NA	2
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	42.5	84.6	42.2	0.0	84.4	NA	124

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile98%	98%	99%	99%	98%	99%	94%	NA	8
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	85%	68%	75%	91%	73%	83%	NA	8
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	1%	1%	1%	2%	3%	1%	NA	2
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.00	1.69	0.00	0.0	NA	1
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	3.2	16.2	6.5	12.8	6.4	6.4	NA	2
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.7	1.7	1.6	7.0	NA	130
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.3	2.9	2.4	0.8	NA	25
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	173.0	0.0	256.8	84.3	0.0	253.0	NA	85
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	3,424.7	1,939.3	3,035.4	2,866.8	NA	26
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	0	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	1	3	1	1	0	0	0	131
Children whose parents divorced	1.4%	1.6%	1.4%	1.5%	1.2%	NA	NA	45
Births out of wedlock	13.5%	21.3%	14.3%	18.0%	16.0%	12.7%	NA	4
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	3.40%	3.70%	3.10%	3.20%	3.00%	2.9%	NA	17
Average per capita income	$20,244	$20,839	$20,848	$21,384	$23,418	NA	NA	21
Fiscal stress level	NA	154.84	155.39	155.39	153.97	NA	NA	16
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	4%	4%	5%	5%	5%	6%	NA	1
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	20.3	22.5	22.1	22.4	21.7	18.8	8.4	2
Average daily school membership	2,303	2,322	2,397	2,402	2,451	2,436	NA	40
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	69.5	64.6	65.2	67.2	66.6	66.4	NA	11
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	375	305	311	84

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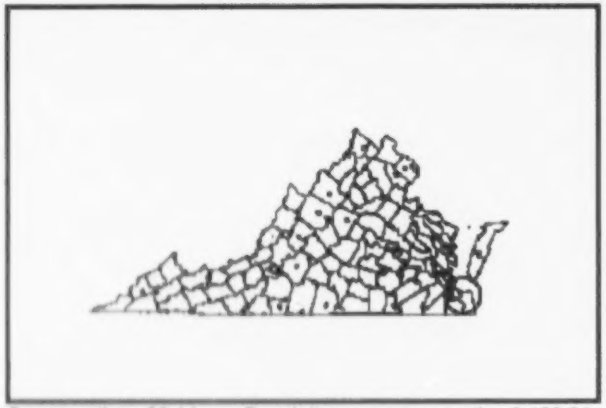

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	1,736	1.68%	902	834	785	905	4	7	35
1 - 4 Years	6,890	6.66%	3,539	3,351	2,948	3,766	10	60	106
5 - 11 Years	10,868	10.50%	5,583	5,285	4,023	6,591	36	101	117
12 - 14 Years	4,435	4.29%	2,260	2,175	1,532	2,823	10	33	37
15 - 17 Years	4,077	3.94%	2,063	2,014	1,486	2,502	10	43	36
18 - 44 Years	42,056	40.64%	20,524	21,532	20,773	20,217	178	426	462
45 - 64 Years	18,648	18.02%	8,459	10,189	9,922	8,343	62	225	96
Over 65 Years	14,767	14.27%	5,700	9,067	8,741	5,865	21	64	76
Total	103,477	100.00%	49,030	54,447	50,210	51,012	331	959	965
Percent			47.38%	52.62%	48.52%	49.30%	0.32%	0.93%	0.93%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	65.9%	70.1%	77.9%	73.8%	73.8%	77.3%	NA	114
Low birth-weight babies	10.9%	11.7%	10.7%	11.6%	11.6%	10.7%	NA	123
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	20.8	16.3	11.3	15.4	11.9	13.3	NA	110
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	11%	13%	16%	15%	17%	20%	NA	115
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	9.6	9.3	10.5	10.9	13.0	11.8	NA	116
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	13.5	44.5	31.2	40.6	31.5	22.5	NA	74

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	74%	84%	85%	90%	88%	86%	NA	48
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	68%	50%	58%	57%	50%	53%	NA	111
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	5%	5%	3%	4%	1%	2%	NA	9
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	28.89	22.67	20.91	17.7	NA	115
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	94.7	100.1	93.2	91.4	87.4	71.0	NA	131
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.6	2.2	1.0	1.5	NA	32
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.8	3.2	2.8	1.4	NA	48
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	794.5	656.9	994.6	892.9	834.1	552.2	NA	111
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	12,408.2	14,743.9	13,580.8	12,594.0	NA	106
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	3	1	1	3	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	99.9	0.0	49.1	73.6	73.6	NA	98
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	240	188	190	185	182	175	168	13
Children whose parents divorced	1.5%	1.5%	1.5%	1.5%	1.6%	NA	NA	92
Births out of wedlock	48.9%	50.2%	50.1%	49.8%	52.7%	51.9%	NA	133
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	7.60%	8.60%	7.50%	8.80%	7.00%	7.4%	NA	104
Average per capita income	$15,550	$16,079	$16,683	$16,965	$17,772	NA	NA	87
Fiscal stress level	NA	181.42	182.53	182.34	183.04	NA	NA	103
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	53%	56%	56%	60%	59%	58%	NA	120
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	210.3	221.2	224.7	217.1	214.3	192.5	161.8	133
Average daily school membership	18,011	18,249	18,003	17,538	17,378	17,635	NA	123
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	63.9	67.3	63.8	66.1	69.6	65.9	NA	10
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	2,842	2,978	3,093	19

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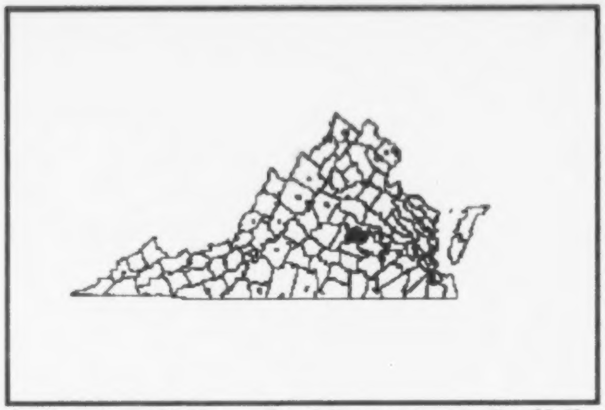

Square miles: 261.30 Population per square mile: 69.40

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	211	1.16%	114	97	188	18	0	1	4
1 - 4 Years	880	4.85%	430	450	779	95	1	3	2
5 - 11 Years	1,488	8.21%	763	725	1,294	188	2	2	2
12 - 14 Years	731	4.03%	366	365	596	133	0	1	1
15 - 17 Years	803	4.43%	474	329	576	220	3	1	3
18 - 44 Years	8,483	46.78%	5,189	3,294	6,068	2,357	25	11	22
45 - 64 Years	3,899	21.50%	2,134	1,765	3,185	700	3	7	4
Over 65 Years	1,640	9.04%	742	898	1,191	446	3	0	0
Total	18,135	100.00%	10,212	7,923	13,877	4,157	37	26	38
Percent			56.31%	43.69%	76.52%	22.92%	0.20%	0.14%	0.21%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	93.3%	92.6%	93.2%	89.4%	92.5%	92.5%	NA	12
Low birth-weight babies	4.3%	3.0%	5.9%	5.3%	9.3%	6.3%	NA	39
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	9.6	0.0	4.5	4.1	0.0	8.4	NA	90
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	18%	27%	30%	20%	31%	22%	NA	106
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	4.1	3.1	3.8	4.4	1.5	1.7	NA	8
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	71.8	103.4	0.0	0.0	32.3	32.3	NA	91

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	89%	90%	88%	92%	89%	87%	NA	41
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	72%	63%	64%	68%	62%	60%	NA	91
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	3%	2%	2%	5%	4%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.12	7.17	3.91	1.3	NA	31
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	24.1	6.6	3.2	30.4	18.2	12.2	NA	11
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.3	1.6	4.9	7.9	NA	132
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.5	3.9	0.4	0.7	NA	23
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	5,086.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	195.6	NA	75
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	5,422.1	4,954.4	9,908.7	6,714.5	NA	75
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	3	0	1	1	2	NA	113
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	137.0	0.0	124.5	0.0	249.1	NA	128
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	7	5	7	5	7	5	4	116
Children whose parents divorced	0.9%	0.9%	1.3%	1.4%	1.3%	NA	NA	55
Births out of wedlock	17.3%	16.3%	15.8%	18.3%	17.6%	18.8%	NA	15
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	4.80%	4.70%	3.50%	3.30%	2.70%	2.5%	NA	5
Average per capita income	$15,378	$15,832	$16,375	$17,025	$18,250	NA	NA	81
Fiscal stress level	NA	154.31	154.69	153.88	152.8	NA	NA	12
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	13%	17%	18%	19%	20%	17%	NA	13
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	18.2	23.7	26.5	24.3	23.1	22.1	15.3	14
Average daily school membership	2,247	2,359	2,383	2,539	2,633	2,779	NA	53
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	66.2	63.5	64.6	64.9	66.4	69.1	NA	31
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	355	400	422	70

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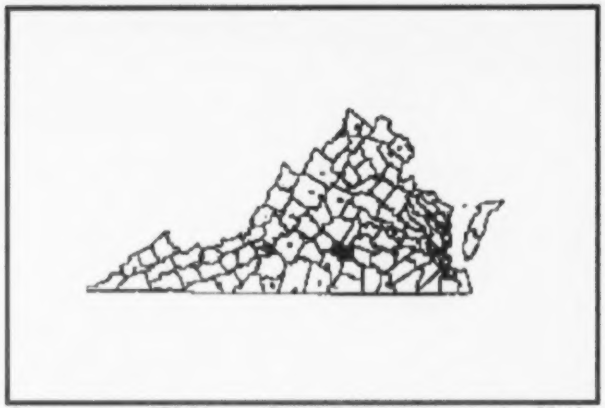

Square miles: 352.81 Population per square mile: 52.13

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	204	1.11%	114	90	88	115	0	0	1
1 - 4 Years	863	4.69%	436	427	367	482	1	7	6
5 - 11 Years	1,553	8.44%	823	730	708	829	3	6	7
12 - 14 Years	671	3.65%	345	326	299	365	2	1	4
15 - 17 Years	686	3.73%	333	353	302	375	0	3	6
18 - 44 Years	8,327	45.28%	4,107	4,220	5,364	2,864	9	51	39
45 - 64 Years	3,265	17.75%	1,560	1,705	2,021	1,213	10	12	9
Over 65 Years	2,823	15.35%	1,068	1,755	1,901	905	5	4	8
Total	18,392	100.00%	8,786	9,606	11,050	7,148	30	84	80
Percent			47.77%	52.23%	60.08%	38.86%	0.16%	0.46%	0.43%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	80.8%	83.9%	82.2%	83.8%	85.4%	81.1%	NA	95
Low birth-weight babies	14.1%	9.2%	8.4%	8.8%	12.4%	8.3%	NA	88
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	9.4	13.8	4.4	0.0	13.3	17.5	NA	122
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	46%	38%	36%	34%	41%	39%	NA	24
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	7.2	9.7	7.4	1.3	3.0	4.3	NA	46
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	34.4	0.0	98.4	0.0	32.4	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	69%	73%	76%	68%	84%	71%	NA	119
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	60%	60%	56%	50%	57%	65%	NA	72
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	7%	4%	5%	5%	6%	9%	NA	130
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	15.96	12.53	9.58	21.4	NA	121
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	18.7	21.1	44.0	36.8	34.0	45.3	NA	107
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.4	1.2	0.0	3.5	NA	85
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	8.9	1.9	5.0	1.5	NA	54
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	1,331.2	0.0	73.7	73.7	147.4	NA	60
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	8,586.6	7,590.3	9,653.6	8,622	NA	92
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	1	1	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	154.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	145.8	NA	114
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	15	15	15	9	7	8	5	112
Children whose parents divorced	1.2%	1.6%	0.9%	0.8%	0.7%	NA	NA	2
Births out of wedlock	48.8%	45.2%	51.1%	44.4%	51.3%	48.7%	NA	119
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	10.60%	10.60%	8.50%	4.70%	5.30%	5.9%	NA	88
Average per capita income	$12,487	$13,011	$13,087	$13,714	$14,616	NA	NA	128
Fiscal stress level	NA	168.83	169.25	168.84	169.43	NA	NA	91
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	52%	54%	55%	53%	55%	55%	NA	119
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	111.5	122.2	113.9	103.1	97.1	88.8	65.1	91
Average daily school membership	2,460	2,511	2,575	2,579	2,597	2,603	NA	48
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	67	66.8	69	72.7	77.9	79.2	NA	97
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	325	337	397	73

PRINCE GEORGE

Square miles: 265.61 Population per square mile: 105.03

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	387	1.39%	182	205	224	137	0	12	14
1 - 4 Years	1,761	6.31%	873	888	1,045	603	1	47	65
5 - 11 Years	3,029	10.86%	1,527	1,502	1,798	1,021	14	71	125
12 - 14 Years	1,198	4.29%	597	601	744	358	6	45	45
15 - 17 Years	1,107	3.97%	593	514	684	349	4	42	28
18 - 44 Years	13,430	48.14%	7,424	6,006	7,925	4,582	68	337	518
45 - 64 Years	5,216	18.70%	2,763	2,453	3,914	1,067	12	123	100
Over 65 Years	1,769	6.34%	820	949	1,253	484	3	17	12
Total	27,897	100.00%	14,779	13,118	17,587	8,601	108	694	907
Percent			52.98%	47.02%	63.04%	30.83%	0.39%	2.49%	3.25%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	80.9%	82.5%	86.8%	89.1%	83.0%	90.2%	NA	23
Low birth-weight babies	8.2%	5.7%	8.8%	5.8%	8.1%	5.8%	NA	27
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	10.2	9.4	18.2	9.7	2.7	5.3	NA	70
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	20%	18%	25%	29%	30%	26%	NA	87
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	2.0	3.1	4.1	9.1	5.1	9.5	NA	101
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	35.1	16.6	0.0	16.7	66.8	33.4	NA	94

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	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	88%	90%	93%	87%	90%	86%	NA	48
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	81%	66%	71%	75%	67%	61%	NA	86
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	4%	4%	4%	3%	3%	NA	24
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.44	1.30	2.17	3.5	NA	54
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	16.6	29.7	17.8	15.6	31.1	23.3	NA	46
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.4	7.2	6.8	6.6	NA	127
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.0	3.9	3.2	2.6	NA	75
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	281.3	44.2	43.9	86.8	86.8	0.0	NA	1
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	4,828.8	7,939.3	8,329.7	5,813.4	NA	61
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	1	0	1	1	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	180.7	90.3	90.3	NA	102
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	34	34	22	19	16	13	20	67
Children whose parents divorced	1.8%	2.0%	1.3%	1.3%	1.9%	NA	NA	120
Births out of wedlock	23.7%	24.1%	24.7%	23.1%	23.5%	18.0%	NA	12
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	5.00%	6.50%	4.30%	5.10%	4.60%	3.8%	NA	38
Average per capita income	$15,978	$16,476	$16,541	$17,887	$19,052	NA	NA	68
Fiscal stress level	NA	162.55	161.93	160.85	160.83	NA	NA	43
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	14%	24%	24%	24%	27%	27%	NA	43
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	27.1	29.6	31.7	35.8	35.4	33.0	28.6	37
Average daily school membership	5,021	5,109	5,104	5,162	5,304	5,462	NA	90
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	68.4	66.8	68.5	69.0	68.6	68.0	NA	20
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	327	321	315	83

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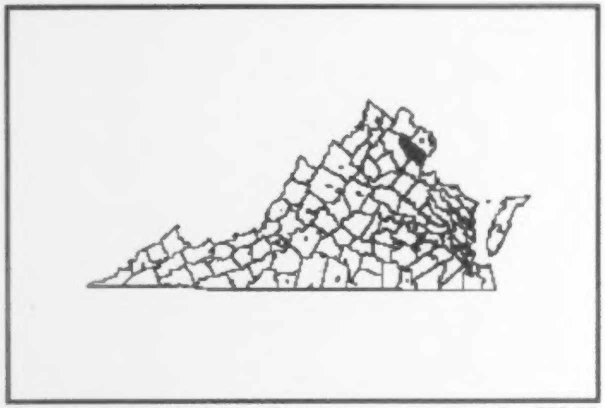

Data are combined for Prince William County, Manassas City, and Manassas Park City for children whose parents divorced.

Square miles: 338.43 Population per square mile: 708.37

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	4,395	1.83%	2,212	2,183	3,320	623	9	175	268
1 - 4 Years	17,806	7.43%	9,148	8,658	13,471	2,515	48	718	1,054
5 - 11 Years	29,034	12.11%	15,110	13,924	22,113	4,154	99	1,025	1,643
12 - 14 Years	11,443	4.77%	5,912	5,531	8,639	1,653	42	466	643
15 - 17 Years	10,602	4.42%	5,400	5,202	8,207	1,446	35	362	552
18 - 44 Years	117,594	49.05%	60,175	57,419	91,452	15,342	510	4,306	5,984
45 - 64 Years	41,263	17.21%	21,539	19,724	34,810	3,586	148	1,511	1,208
Over 65 Years	7,594	3.17%	2,986	4,608	6,480	634	19	276	185
Total	239,731	99.99%	122,482	117,249	188,492	29,953	910	8,839	11,537
Percent			51.09%	48.91%	78.63%	12.49%	0.38%	3.69%	4.81%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	83.7%	84.4%	85.0%	83.6%	80.3%	85.0%	NA	67
Low birth-weight babies	6.8%	6.2%	6.3%	5.8%	5.9%	6.1%	NA	35
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	8.2	6.5	7.7	6.2	6.6	9.1	NA	92
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	33%	31%	39%	41%	37%	29%	NA	73
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	3.8	2.7	2.3	2.7	3.3	4.4	NA	49
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	25.9	19.7	21.0	27.5	22.3	12.0	NA	54

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	93%	92%	89%	89%	90%	89%	NA	32
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	79%	69%	78%	75%	70%	72%	NA	45
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	3%	4%	5%	5%	6%	NA	102
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.03	5.26	4.90	5.2	NA	68
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	26.4	18.0	22.3	20.8	25.0	25.4	NA	51
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.6	2.9	3.8	2.3	NA	52
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.7	2.7	2.9	3.5	NA	104
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	190.4	246.9	220.3	222.3	421.9	303.9	NA	93
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	9,679.8	9,553.2	9,362.7	7,276.0	NA	79
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	5	6	7	4	6	2	NA	113
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	41.1	90.1	29.3	28.3	66.0	28.3	NA	80
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	136	140	144	147	149	170	166	14
Children whose parents divorced	1.1%	0.9%	1.0%	1.1%	1.0%	NA	NA	25
Births out of wedlock	19.1%	18.9%	20.0%	21.5%	21.9%	21.7%	NA	29
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	4.00%	4.80%	3.50%	3.30%	3.30%	2.8%	NA	13
Average per capita income	$19,531	$20,168	$20,793	$21,544	$22,951	NA	NA	25
Fiscal stress level	NA	157.03	156.70	156.49	156.84	NA	NA	25
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	9%	12%	14%	16%	19%	20%	NA	24
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	30.1	38.5	42.6	43.0	46.5	45.3	35.1	47
Average daily school membership	41,712	42,858	44,224	44,803	45,626	46,608	NA	131
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	70.5	70.3	68.6	67.3	68.2	66.7	NA	12
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	8,143	8,933	10,779	4

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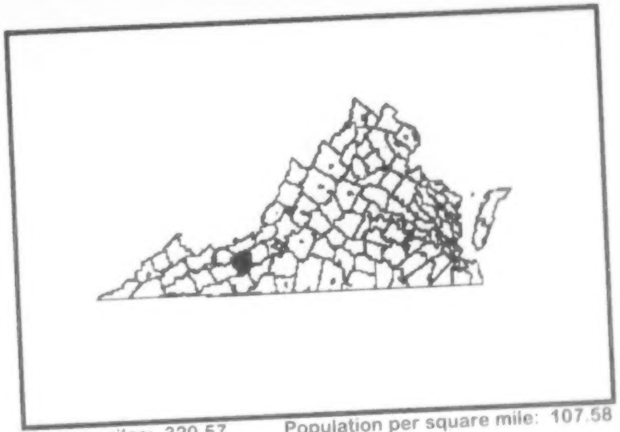

Square miles: 320.57 Population per square mile: 107.58

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	368	1.07%	179	189	331	31	1	1	4
1 - 4 Years	1,640	4.76%	846	794	1,501	132	0	0	7
5 - 11 Years	2,748	7.97%	1,433	1,315	2,537	181	3	11	16
12 - 14 Years	1,354	3.93%	714	640	1,247	99	0	2	6
15 - 17 Years	1,522	4.41%	769	753	1,385	117	1	10	9
18 - 44 Years	13,450	39.00%	6,733	6,717	12,385	938	28	37	62
45 - 64 Years	8,034	23.30%	3,904	4,130	7,608	378	11	15	22
Over 65 Years	5,371	15.57%	2,102	3,269	5,071	279	0	2	19
Total	34,487	100.01%	16,680	17,807	32,065	2,155	44	78	145
Percent			48.37%	51.63%	92.98%	6.25%	0.13%	0.23%	0.42%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	82.9%	86.1%	82.6%	89.0%	85.4%	87.4%	NA	50
Low birth-weight babies	7.9%	7.6%	7.0%	8.6%	10.9%	7.9%	NA	82
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	10.8	2.7	5.4	8.0	17.4	2.6	NA	50
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	17%	22%	19%	19%	18%	16%	NA	127
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	7.9	8.0	11.2	11.7	16.9	17.7	NA	132
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	17.3	34.4	34.6	34.8	17.4	17.4	NA	64

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	84%	88%	82%	86%	83%	82%	NA	68
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	72%	57%	66%	66%	55%	59%	NA	95
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	9%	8%	7%	7%	4%	6%	NA	102
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.75	4.17	2.78	3.5	NA	55
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	30.4	18.5	37.5	27.9	26.6	19.9	NA	33
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.4	5.4	5.6	2.4	NA	53
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.8	2.5	2.1	4.3	NA	115
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	140.5	34.9	70.1	139.1	34.8	139.1	NA	57
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	7,743.5	5,389.4	5.459.0	4,137.7	NA	39
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	1	0	2	2	0	2	NA	113
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	196.7	0.0	0.0	65.7	0.0	197.1	NA	124
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	40	35	24	27	35	27	33	45
Children whose parents divorced	1.8%	1.8%	1.7%	1.3%	1.3%	NA	NA	60
Births out of wedlock	27.1%	26.1%	32.7%	24.1%	32.0%	29.0	NA	69
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	12.60%	10.00%	9.60%	6.90%	6.10%	9.4%	NA	122
Average per capita income	$13,381	$14,228	$14,762	$15,592	$16,451	NA	NA	109
Fiscal stress level	NA	167.84	167.09	166.55	166.37	NA	NA	78
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	27%	30%	30%	31%	31%	32%	NA	59
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	77.9	82.2	75.7	73.0	73.6	67.3	62.5	88
Average daily school membership	5,484	5,395	5,323	5,188	5,158	5,102	NA	84
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	65.5	65.8	66	66.9	66.3	67.5	NA	17
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	539	711	623	58

RADFORD

Square miles: 9.82 Population per square mile: 1,646.61

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	116	0.72%	67	49	105	6	0	3	2
1 - 4 Years	478	2.96%	251	227	417	48	0	7	6
5 - 11 Years	845	5.23%	442	403	727	102	2	11	3
12 - 14 Years	366	2.26%	200	166	318	40	0	3	5
15 - 17 Years	394	2.44%	213	181	335	52	0	5	2
18 - 44 Years	10,138	62.71%	4,381	5,757	9,165	573	8	267	125
45 - 64 Years	2,272	14.05%	1,053	1,219	2,095	147	4	16	10
Over 65 Years	1,557	9.63%	606	951	1,472	79	0	3	3
Total	16,166	100.00%	7,213	8,953	14,634	1,047	14	315	156
Percent			44.62%	55.38%	90.52%	6.48%	0.09%	1.95%	0.96%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	86.9%	89.0%	87.7%	84.6%	82.6%	81.4%	NA	92
Low birth-weight babies	4.8%	5.5%	4.5%	6.3%	5.5%	9.7%	NA	115
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	6.0	6.1	0.0	14.0	9.2	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	40%	33%	35%	40%	41%	37%	NA	33
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	3.8	2.8	6.0	7.3	1.4	3.6	NA	35
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	61.3	60.0	59.7	0.0	0.0	59.2	NA	117

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	94%	95%	97%	97%	97%	97%	NA	2
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	90%	85%	90%	83%	84%	86%	NA	4
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	3%	2%	2%	2%	3%	2%	NA	9
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.35	14.47	6.58	7.9	NA	86
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	29.1	28.4	73.9	71.8	55.2	33.1	NA	80
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.4	4.1	2.7	2.7	NA	59
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	3,401.4	404.9	263.2	131.6	263.2	NA	86
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	3,238.9	4,605.3	5,921.1	4,868.4	NA	48
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	1	0	0	1	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	253.8	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	4	5	5	4	4	7	6	104
Children whose parents divorced	1.4%	2.6%	1.3%	2.0%	1.6%	NA	NA	95
Births out of wedlock	22.0%	27.4%	28.4%	27.3%	29.4%	27.4%	NA	60
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	9.30%	6.90%	6.50%	5.20%	4.00%	4.2%	NA	53
Average per capita income	$13,056	$13,743	$14,172	$14,918	$15,929	NA	NA	113
Fiscal stress level	NA	173.79	173.78	173.90	173.62	NA	NA	107
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	18%	21%	19%	19%	20%	19%	NA	19
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	61.7	83.9	89.6	89.6	94.1	83.7	58.7	86
Average daily school membership	1,478	1,514	1,468	1,473	1,495	1,506	NA	19
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	75.2	72.9	75.3	76.3	76.7	77.2	NA	84
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	434	454	693	55

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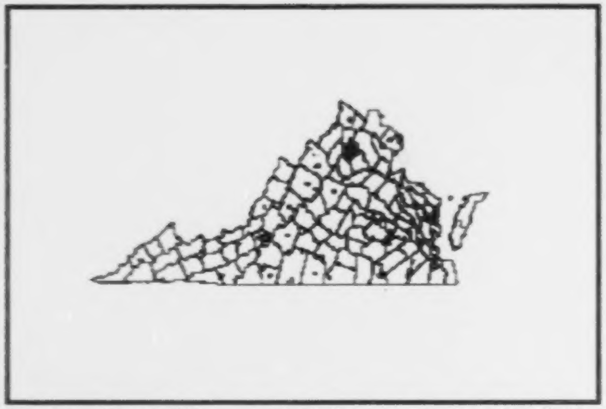

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	81	1.15%	42	39	76	1	0	0	4
1 - 4 Years	398	5.67%	204	194	371	17	0	4	6
5 - 11 Years	603	8.60%	296	307	559	33	2	2	7
12 - 14 Years	252	3.59%	124	128	229	20	0	2	1
15 - 17 Years	255	3.64%	132	123	228	25	0	1	1
18 - 44 Years	2,690	38.35%	1,346	1,344	2,456	192	3	4	35
45 - 64 Years	1,798	25.63%	919	879	1,624	156	6	4	8
Over 65 Years	937	13.36%	447	490	854	77	0	0	6
Total	7,014	99.99%	3,510	3,504	6,397	521	11	17	68
Percent			50.04%	49.96%	91.20%	7.43%	0.16%	0.24%	0.97%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	87.0%	85.5%	79.5%	78.8%	83.3%	88.1%	NA	43
Low birth-weight babies	5.4%	6.0%	6.0%	5.8%	13.9%	4.5%	NA	5
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	0.0	12.0	0.0	19.2	0.0	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	26%	26%	27%	26%	30%	27%	NA	85
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	2.6	2.6	3.2	1.3	2.5	3.1	NA	27
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	79.8	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	92%	90%	89%	78%	78%	78%	NA	88
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	70%	72%	83%	74%	62%	47%	NA	121
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	5%	3%	4%	3%	2%	NA	9
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.00	0.00	9.86	9.9	NA	91
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	25.4	25.4	50.0	24.4	8.1	24.4	NA	49
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.0	7.4	3.0	0.0	NA	1
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.0	5.5	7.0	5.8	NA	130
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	828.2	403.2	0.0	0.0	197.2	NA	76
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	4,233.9	7,100.6	9,467.5	7,495.1	NA	81
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	1	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	408.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	23	19	16	17	15	13	8	100
Children whose parents divorced	1.0%	1.6%	1.4%	1.4%	2.0%	NA	NA	124
Births out of wedlock	20.7%	16.9%	24.1%	23.1%	19.4%	20.9%	NA	22
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	8.60%	7.80%	4.10%	5.20%	4.90%	3.8%	NA	38
Average per capita income	$19,596	$20,428	$20,369	$21,213	$22,384	NA	NA	31
Fiscal stress level	NA	151.54	149.38	149.07	148.38	NA	NA	6
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	14%	18%	21%	18%	19%	19%	NA	19
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	16.9	34.3	24.1	22.7	23.3	17.0	17.6	17
Average daily school membership	944	992	1,010	1,083	1,005	1,037	NA	10
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	75.1	70.2	69.0	65.8	71.1	70.7	NA	40
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	115	132	170	110

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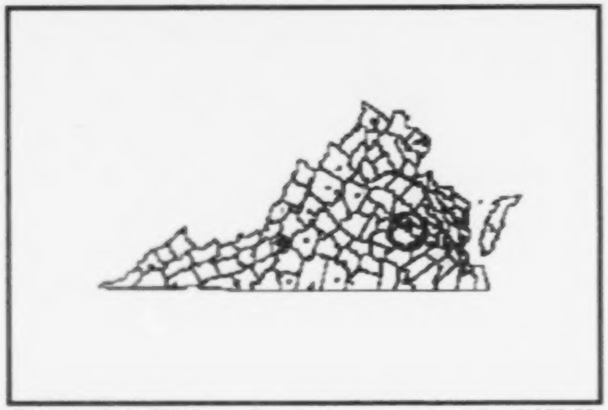

Square miles: 60.13 Population per square mile: 3,350.89

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	2,898	1.44%	1,498	1,400	779	2,052	3	38	26
1 - 4 Years	11,023	5.47%	5,474	5,549	2,795	8,001	13	133	81
5 - 11 Years	16,379	8.13%	8,298	8,081	3,238	12,848	24	153	116
12 - 14 Years	6,126	3.04%	3,152	2,974	1,116	4,921	10	53	26
15 - 17 Years	6,103	3.03%	3,063	3,040	1,142	4,849	14	55	43
18 - 44 Years	91,058	45.20%	43,035	48,023	38,803	49,972	252	1,282	749
45 - 64 Years	36,020	17.88%	15,986	20,034	15,418	20,089	112	241	160
Over 65 Years	31,871	15.82%	11,179	20,692	18,935	12,639	46	117	134
Total	201,478	100.01%	91,685	109,793	82,226	115,371	474	2,072	1,335
Percent			45.51%	54.49%	40.81%	57.26%	0.24%	1.03%	0.66%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	76.7%	75.9%	72.0%	74.8%	78.2%	78.8%	NA	106
Low birth-weight babies	10.4%	13.3%	12.4%	13.2%	13.7%	14.1%	NA	134
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	13.0	16.0	15.8	15.1	15.2	19.1	NA	128
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	24%	18%	29%	40%	32%	40	NA	19
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	9.9	13.3	16.5	14.2	16.4	13.4	NA	125
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	59.5	47.3	17.8	41.8	29.8	35.8	NA	98

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	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	77%	72%	73%	76%	78%	82%	NA	68
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	49%	36%	37%	38%	36%	40%	NA	129
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	10%	7%	6%	5%	8%	7%	NA	118
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	46.29	60.76	82.51	63.0	NA	134
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	92.8	91.4	98.9	80.9	87.2	88.5	NA	135
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.8	0.2	0.6	0.7	NA	11
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.0	1.2	2.2	38.1	NA	135
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	1,677.7	1,716.3	1,604.1	1,259.3	1,570.0	1,300.2	NA	133
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	14,419.9	12,494.9	12,642.1	11,619.9	NA	101
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	2	5	1	0	1	3	NA	126
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	119.9	84.2	117.2	98.3	114.7	114.7	NA	107
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	580	617	726	763	864	880	874	1
Children whose parents divorced	1.4%	1.4%	1.5%	1.3%	1.4%	NA	NA	77
Births out of wedlock	60.4%	63.6%	63.6%	63.9%	61.9%	61.4%	NA	134
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	7.80%	9.30%	6.60%	5.90%	5.20%	5.3%	NA	78
Average per capita income	$23,693	$25,498	$26,317	$27,410	$28,961	NA	NA	8
Fiscal stress level	NA	180.99	180.39	182.52	182.30	NA	NA	132
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	53%	61%	51%	64%	64%	74%	NA	135
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	311.5	343.5	353.8	352.2	337.4	308.9	261.1	135
Average daily school membership	25,618	25,936	26,012	26,753	26,154	26,690	NA	126
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	70.1	70.5	78.0	88.5	74.7	76.6	NA	82
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	9,189	9,728	10,303	5

RICHMOND COUNTY

Square miles: 191.48 Population per square mile: 38.85

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	76	1.02%	40	36	41	33	0	0	2
1 - 4 Years	363	4.88%	191	172	233	128	0	0	2
5 - 11 Years	728	9.79%	392	336	435	286	2	0	5
12 - 14 Years	293	3.94%	153	140	192	93	1	3	4
15 - 17 Years	249	3.35%	128	121	157	89	1	1	1
18 - 44 Years	2,601	34.97%	1,342	1,259	1,660	910	4	10	17
45 - 64 Years	1,647	22.14%	776	871	1,176	458	1	7	5
Over 65 Years	1,481	19.91%	601	880	1,130	345	1	2	3
Total	7,438	100.00%	3,623	3,815	5,024	2,342	10	23	39
Percent			48.71%	51.29%	67.55%	31.49%	0.13%	0.31%	0.52%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	77.5%	85.4%	79.8%	80.9%	73.0%	77.1%	NA	116
Low birth-weight babies	6.7%	13.4%	10.7%	2.9%	16.2%	11.4%	NA	128
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	11.2	24.4	0.0	0.0	13.5	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	37%	35%	20%	35%	32%	38%	NA	28
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	3.6	3.5	12.9	9.9	2.3	2.9	NA	23
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	220.4	72.6	72.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	76%	82%	69%	71%	77%	77%	NA	96
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	59%	63%	72%	59%	53%	60%	NA	91
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	3%	4%	5%	2%	2%	3%	NA	24
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	16.82	14.76	9.23	14.8	NA	103
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	17.2	25.4	42.0	57.9	57.9	33.1	NA	79
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.8	0.8	0.0	1.5	NA	33
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.5	3.0	0.8	0.0	NA	1
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	184.5	184.5	NA	69
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	7,476.6	11,254.6	11,439.1	21,402.2	NA	123
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	401.6	NA	132
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	1	1	3	3	3	3	4	116
Children whose parents divorced	1.0%	1.0%	0.8%	1.5%	1.2%	NA	NA	47
Births out of wedlock	42.7%	40.2%	39.3%	42.6%	44.6%	42.9%	NA	109
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	7.60%	10.00%	8.20%	7.40%	6.60%	7.9%	NA	108
Average per capita income	$14,779	$15,532	$15,405	$16,729	$15,446	NA	NA	123
Fiscal stress level	NA	165.04	163.24	163.05	164.37	NA	NA	63
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	32%	34%	34%	34%	34%	35%	NA	70
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	90.5	92.0	101.9	101.2	81.9	62.0	54.4	79
Average daily school membership	1,275	1,290	1,323	1,315	1,278	1,299	NA	16
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	69.9	61.7	60.2	60.5	65.7	65.8	NA	8
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	0	0	0	134

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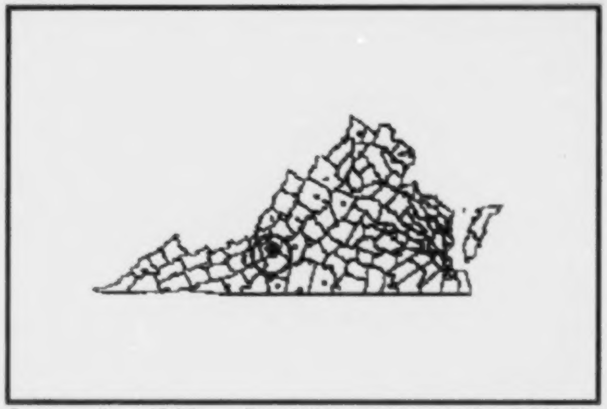

Square miles: 42.90 Population per square mile: 2,260.69

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	1,424	1.47%	730	694	916	464	0	29	15
1 - 4 Years	5,397	5.56%	2,732	2,665	3,539	1,759	6	50	43
5 - 11 Years	8,018	8.27%	4,125	3,893	5,001	2,800	19	107	91
12 - 14 Years	3,273	3.37%	1,632	1,641	1,927	1,270	6	49	21
15 - 17 Years	3,251	3.35%	1,642	1,609	1,907	1,256	9	55	24
18 - 44 Years	39,505	40.73%	19,137	20,368	28,198	10,583	84	392	248
45 - 64 Years	18,844	19.43%	8,507	10,337	14,446	4,186	44	103	65
Over 65 Years	17,275	17.81%	6,250	11,025	14,410	2,758	13	29	65
Total	96,987	99.99%	44,755	52,232	70,344	25,076	181	814	572
Percent			46.15%	53.85%	72.53%	25.86%	0.19%	0.84%	0.59%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	90.6%	84.7%	82.9%	85.4%	88.3%	87.9%	NA	45
Low birth-weight babies	9.6%	9.4%	7.6%	10.7%	8.4%	8.6%	NA	97
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	10.0	7.9	5.6	13.5	6.6	5.2	NA	69
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	24%	21%	30%	26%	30%	37%	NA	33
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	12.2	11.6	11.0	8.8	9.7	10.5	NA	111
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	29.7	29.7	17.8	41.9	30.0	47.9	NA	109

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	81%	83%	79%	74%	78%	76%	NA	105
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	55%	56%	66%	67%	59%	58%	NA	98
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	5%	9%	9%	8%	8%	9%	NA	130
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	28.49	21.92	23.45	20.4	NA	120
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	75.4	60.2	72.5	62.8	59.7	62.8	NA	127
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.9	1.4	1.2	4.4	NA	102
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.8	2.3	1.0	0.7	NA	22
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	1,117.6	765.4	851.7	751.1	705.1	873.7	NA	125
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	17,172.5	13,212.8	12,247.1	7,893.9	NA	86
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	2	0	0	0	0	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	62.6	31.3	31.2	92.3	30.8	30.8	NA	81
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	324	315	327	305	303	306	310	7
Children whose parents divorced	1.8%	2.1%	1.8%	1.8%	1.9%	NA	NA	121
Births out of wedlock	42.2%	45.0%	45.9%	45.1%	42.3%	39.7%	NA	100
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	6.70%	7.20%	5.70%	4.40%	3.60%	3.8%	NA	38
Average per capita income	$18,662	$19,846	$20,814	$21,708	$23,409	NA	NA	23
Fiscal stress level	NA	179.45	178.89	181.20	179.74	NA	NA	128
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	40%	45%	51%	53%	49%	49%	NA	108
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	156.6	171.7	168.1	165.8	155.5	143.4	113.8	120
Average daily school membership	12,605	12,554	12,693	12,600	12,731	12,987	NA	117
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	72.6	65.3	64.0	65.5	71.0	73.5	NA	63
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	3,980	4,234	4,428	14

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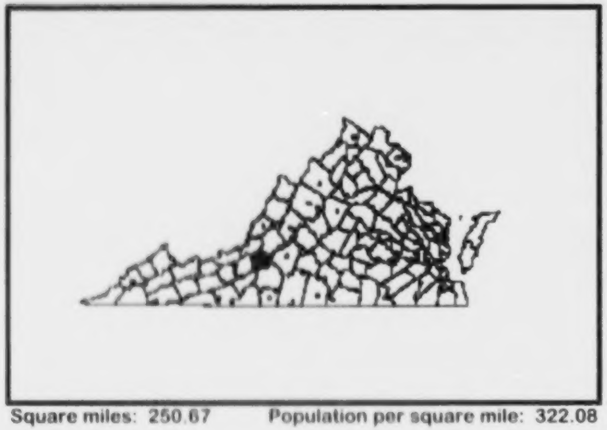

Square miles: 250.67 Population per square mile: 322.08

Data are combined for Roanoke County and Salem City for: founded cases of child abuse or neglect, foster care out-of-home placements, and children receiving TANF.

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	815	1.01%	416	399	765	32	0	9	9
1 - 4 Years	3,526	4.37%	1,797	1,729	3,335	99	2	57	33
5 - 11 Years	6,932	8.59%	3,523	3,409	6,620	175	5	75	57
12 - 14 Years	3,322	4.11%	1,725	1,597	3,110	122	4	55	31
15 - 17 Years	3,327	4.12%	1,651	1,676	3,145	99	5	49	29
18 - 44 Years	31,834	39.43%	15,132	16,702	30,199	1,044	36	346	209
45 - 64 Years	19,551	24.22%	9,453	10,098	18,974	355	23	128	71
Over 65 Years	11,428	14.15%	4,473	6,955	11,034	320	7	41	26
Total	80,735	100.00%	38,170	42,565	77,182	2,246	82	760	465
Percent			47.28%	52.72%	95.60%	2.78%	0.10%	0.94%	0.58%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	93.9%	91.7%	92.8%	93.3%	91.9%	94.6%	NA	3
Low birth-weight babies	5.3%	6.1%	7.2%	5.9%	5.1%	5.9%	NA	31
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	4.2	10.2	5.1	4.6	4.8	3.4	NA	54
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	20%	20%	21%	21%	22%	20%	NA	115
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	1.9	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.9	2.0	NA	11
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	14.5	0.0	21.8	36.3	43.5	14.5	NA	60

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	92%	93%	93%	92%	90%	93%	NA	14
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	85%	70%	82%	80%	74%	74%	NA	37
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	3%	2%	2%	3%	2%	1%	NA	2
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.68	1.35	1.20	1.2	NA	28
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	6.6	10.2	9.7	7.8	6.6	9.5	NA	6
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.3	2.7	1.3	4.0	NA	96
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.5	1.3	1.5	0.9	NA	27
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	61.2	61.2	61.0	90.2	105.3	45.1	NA	35
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	8,956.4	10,182.0	10,497.8	12,031.9	NA	103
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	1	0	2	0	3	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	30.1	30.3	30.5	30.1	0.0	60.1	NA	94
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	21	18	27	28	29	27	27	56
Children whose parents divorced	1.7%	1.9%	1.5%	1.5%	1.5%	NA	NA	78
Births out of wedlock	12.1%	12.3%	14.9%	15.7%	14.4%	16.8%	NA	11
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	4.10%	4.20%	3.90%	2.80%	2.20%	2.2%	NA	2
Average per capita income	$20,789	$21,923	$23,150	$23,998	$26,482	NA	NA	12
Fiscal stress level	NA	161.56	160.52	161.00	160.54	NA	NA	42
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	9%	10%	10%	10%	9%	9%	NA	2
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	16.9	19.3	21.0	20.0	20.3	18.1	14.2	9
Average daily school membership	13,328	13,326	13,412	13,541	13,647	13,721	NA	118
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	74.9	76.4	77.3	78.1	79.3	78.4	NA	94
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	2,583	2,111	2,327	24

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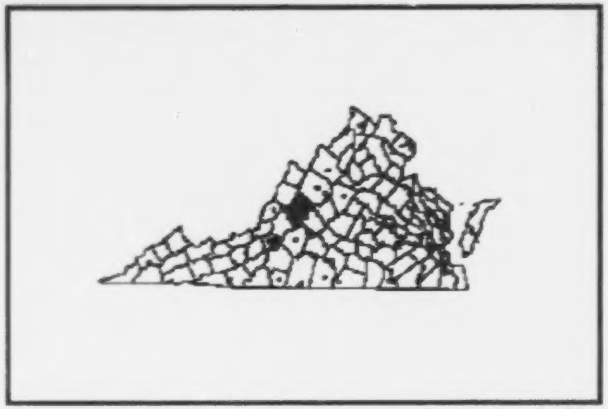

Square miles: 599.67 Population per square mile: 31.38

Data are combined for Rockbridge County and Lexington City for: 9th - 12th graders who dropped out of school, children whose parents divorced, and students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program.

Data for Rockbridge County include Lexington City for grades 8-12 for: incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school, incidents of students possessing weapons in school, average daily school membership, and instructional personnel rate.

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	206	1.09%	99	107	197	5	0	2	2
1 - 4 Years	917	4.87%	459	458	882	27	2	2	4
5 - 11 Years	1,693	9.00%	853	840	1,620	63	1	5	4
12 - 14 Years	674	3.58%	343	331	652	20	0	1	1
15 - 17 Years	772	4.10%	445	327	726	34	4	4	4
18 - 44 Years	7,048	37.46%	3,584	3,464	6,750	237	14	23	24
45 - 64 Years	4,758	25.29%	2,369	2,389	4,597	130	15	9	7
Over 65 Years	2,748	14.60%	1,256	1,492	2,654	86	2	4	2
Total	18,816	99.99%	9,408	9,408	18,078	602	38	50	48
Percent			50.00%	50.00%	96.08%	3.20%	0.20%	0.27%	0.26%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	71.4%	79.4%	83.2%	83.2%	82.8%	78.9%	NA	105
Low birth-weight babies	7.1%	7.7%	7.3%	10.9%	9.2%	5.3%	NA	16
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	0.0	0.0	11.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	23%	27%	23%	17%	29%	25%	NA	93
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	3.5	5.2	2.3	4.2	2.3	9.4	NA	98
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	60.6	91.4	0.0	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	90%	85%	86%	90%	83%	89%	NA	32
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	81%	69%	80%	77%	70%	69%	NA	55
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	5%	4%	6%	4%	4%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.70	0.00	1.38	2.8	NA	46
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	21.4	27.6	27.7	21.4	18.3	21.4	NA	41
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.6	1.9	3.2	2.5	NA	55
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.0	1.9	0.0	4.4	NA	118
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	70.7	70.2	0.0	0.0	138.3	0.0	NA	1
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	7,113.0	6,500.7	8,229.6	968.2	NA	7
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	1	1	0	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	00	130.7	0.0	0.0	129.5	NA	112
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	17	14	11	13	14	8	10	92
Children whose parents divorced	1.2%	1.6%	1.7%	2.1%	2.4%	NA	NA	128
Births out of wedlock	16.2%	37.6%	30.7%	21.2%	21.8%	24.2%	NA	38
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	8.20%	9.80%	7.50%	5.70%	4.90%	4.5%	NA	63
Average per capita income	$14,695	$15,146	$15,442	$16,216	$17,495	NA	NA	94
Fiscal stress level	NA	166.32	166.70	166.88	165.56	NA	NA	73
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	26%	27%	27%	27%	26%	26%	NA	38
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	43.5	45.4	53.0	50.4	45.5	30.3	27.5	32
Average daily school membership	3,014	3,084	3,111	3,092	3,141	3,189	NA	63
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	66.8	65.2	78.7	82.3	80.7	82.2	NA	118
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	70	160	221	97

ROCKINGHAM

Data are combined for Rockingham County and Harrisonburg City for children whose parents divorced.

Square miles: 851.21 Population per square mile: 71.55

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	756	1.24%	381	375	730	13	0	1	12
1 - 4 Years	3,329	5.47%	1,695	1,634	3,170	62	3	20	74
5 - 11 Years	5,874	9.64%	3,028	2,846	5,673	93	8	19	81
12 - 14 Years	2,487	4.08%	1,224	1,263	2,413	27	4	13	30
15 - 17 Years	2,301	3.78%	1,235	1,066	2,225	37	4	13	22
18 - 44 Years	24,257	39.83%	12,225	12,032	23,348	507	15	67	320
45 - 64 Years	13,313	21.86%	6,602	6,711	13,096	120	16	20	61
Over 65 Years	8,587	14.10%	3,556	5,031	8,455	87	4	6	35
Total	60,904	100.00%	29,946	30,958	59,110	946	54	159	635
Percent			49.17	50.83%	97.05%	1.55%	0.09%	0.26%	1.04%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	88.4%	87.0%	88.1%	85.8%	85.0%	84.7%	NA	70
Low birth-weight babies	7.9%	8.3%	5.0%	4.9%	5.8%	5.9%	NA	28
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	8.2	6.3	10.1	5.1	5.7	4.7	NA	64
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	23%	21%	18%	26%	23%	23%	NA	103
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	1.7	5.1	6.1	1.6	4.1	3.1	NA	26
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	35.5	17.5	34.6	34.2	25.7	8.6	NA	50

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	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	83%	85%	87%	83%	85%	85%	NA	57
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	75%	73%	75%	77%	74%	71%	NA	47
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	6%	5%	6%	4%	5%	5%	NA	81
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.43	0.21	0.21	1.0	NA	27
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	31.2	40.8	34.7	37.5	36.6	41.3	NA	99
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.5	2.4	2.4	3.4	NA	84
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.3	2.9	1.2	2.3	NA	71
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	22.1	43.6	85.8	20.9	20.9	41.8	NA	33
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	2,274.2	3,717.6	4,970.8	4,553.0	NA	42
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	4	1	0	1	1	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	90.7	45.1	0.0	43.5	130.4	86.9	NA	100
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	38	59	68	63	80	62	70	26
Children whose parents divorced	1.4%	1.6%	1.6%	1.4%	1.4%	NA	NA	71
Births out of wedlock	20.0%	20.1%	21.6%	22.1%	23.6%	23.0%	NA	37
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	5.90%	5.30%	3.50%	3.00%	3.10%	2.7%	NA	11
Average per capita income	$16,655	$17,475	$18,169	$18,993	$19,750	NA	NA	55
Fiscal stress level	NA	162.13	162.62	163.44	162.11	NA	NA	49
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	17%	18%	20%	21%	21%	22%	NA	29
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	18.5	22.1	22.5	22.4	20.5	18.4	18.2	20
Average daily school membership	9,140	9,347	9,513	9,718	9,974	10,203	NA	113
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	77.2	75.6	74.3	75.5	79.1	78.3	NA	92
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	514	602	555	60

RUSSELL

Square miles: 474.67 Population per square mile: 61.44

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	295	1.01%	155	140	285	4	0	1	5
1 - 4 Years	1,316	4.51%	665	651	1,299	10	0	1	6
5 - 11 Years	2,864	9.82%	1,452	1,412	2,835	22	0	0	7
12 - 14 Years	1,349	4.63%	692	657	1,336	6	4	0	3
15 - 17 Years	1,396	4.79%	715	681	1,374	16	0	0	6
18 - 44 Years	11,542	39.57%	5,793	5,749	11,336	158	8	7	33
45 - 64 Years	6,637	22.76%	3,229	3,408	6,544	68	6	5	14
Over 65 Years	3,766	12.91%	1,588	2,178	3,722	38	0	1	5
Total	29,165	100.00%	14,289	14,876	28,731	322	18	15	79
Percent			48.99%	51.01%	98.51%	1.10%	0.06%	0.05%	0.27%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	77.9%	84.7%	83.9%	85.0%	87.4%	88.2%	NA	41
Low birth-weight babies	6.7%	6.4%	11.3%	6.4%	10.1%	8.6%	NA	99
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	12.1	9.6	17.9	3.2	12.6	22.4	NA	129
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	35%	33%	35%	44%	34%	43%	NA	14
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	7.9	4.6	5.5	7.8	11.9	12.0	NA	118
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	18.1	0.0	36.2	18.1	18.1	NA	67

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	84%	88%	87%	88%	85%	87%	NA	41
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	68%	55%	68%	71%	65%	75%	NA	31
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	4%	5%	6%	4%	3%	NA	24
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.37	1.09	1.09	0.4	NA	19.0
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	20.6	17.8	41.7	23.5	26.4	44.1	NA	104
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.6	4.0	3.4	3.0	NA	71
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.8	2.3	0.8	0.2	NA	10
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	74.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	72.9	0.0	NA	1
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	1,403.2	1,311.5	2,987.2	1,202.2	NA	11
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	1	0	0	1	1	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	144.3	0.0	0.0	71.6	71.6	71.6	NA	96
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	38	30	28	32	34	34	28	53
Children whose parents divorced	1.4%	1.3%	1.0%	0.8%	1.1%	NA	NA	31
Births out of wedlock	15.5%	19.8%	22.7%	20.1%	24.8%	24.9	NA	44
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	13.10%	13.00%	10.60%	13.20%	10.90%	11.3%	NA	130
Average per capita income	$12,818	$13,407	$13,482	$14,018	$14,441	NA	NA	131
Fiscal stress level	NA	167.98	168.45	168.04	168.34	NA	NA	88
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	35%	36%	37%	39%	40%	40%	NA	91
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	81.5	83.2	83.4	84.2	90.6	90.0	89.2	107
Average daily school membership	5,256	5,072	4,959	4,759	4,740	4,696	NA	82
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	69.3	66.8	68.9	70.8	70.1	72.3	NA	49
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	381	373	373	76

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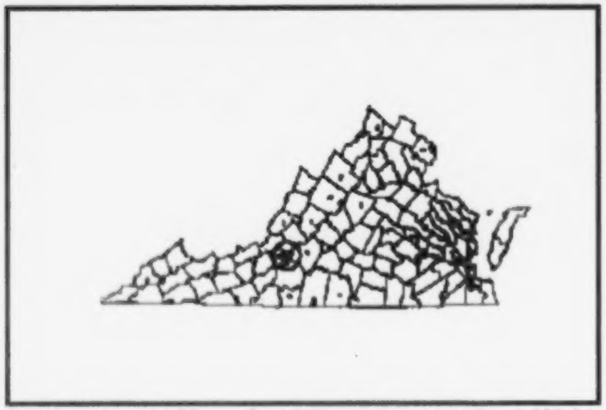

Square miles: 14.55 Population per square mile: 1,666.54

Data are combined for Salem City and Roanoke County for: founded cases of child abuse or neglect, foster care out-of-home placement, and children receiving TANF.

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	225	0.93%	116	109	209	13	0	2	1
1 - 4 Years	1,011	4.17%	516	495	957	35	0	17	2
5 - 11 Years	1,874	7.73%	968	906	1,742	107	0	16	9
12 - 14 Years	844	3.48%	427	417	789	45	1	7	2
15 - 17 Years	792	3.27%	412	380	736	41	2	9	4
18 - 44 Years	9,611	39.63%	4,640	4,971	9,003	459	12	91	46
45 - 64 Years	5,629	23.21%	2,724	2,905	5,375	205	7	26	16
Over 65 Years	4,265	17.59%	1,802	2,463	3,975	259	8	4	19
Total	24,251	100.01%	11,605	12,646	22,786	1,164	30	172	99
Percent			47.85%	52.15%	93.96%	4.80%	0.12%	0.71%	0.41%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	92.5%	89.5%	89.6%	95.0%	93.1%	91.9%	NA	15
Low birth-weight babies	6.7%	7.6%	6.6%	7.7%	8.0%	7.3%	NA	70
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	7.5	10.8	12.4	0.0	3.6	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	16%	14%	14%	12%	16%	18%	NA	124
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	1.9	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.9	2.0	NA	11
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	27.0	26.8	0.0	53.6	NA	112

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	96%	95%	95%	96%	95%	97%	NA	2
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	77%	75%	79%	84%	77%	79%	NA	11
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	5%	4%	4%	4%	3%	3%	NA	24
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	8.73	9.78	1.83	4.9	NA	66.0
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	21.4	29.5	29.6	36.8	21.1	26.3	NA	58
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.7	1.3	2.1	5.5	NA	119
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.4	0.0	0.0	2.1	NA	69
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	188.4	188.1	124.7	183.4	122.2	183.4	NA	68
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	25,935.2	19,315.4	17,787.3	19,682.2	NA	120
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	1	0	1	0	1	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	128.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	252.5	0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	21	18	27	28	29	27	27	56
Children whose parents divorced	1.4%	1.8%	1.8%	2.6%	1.7%	NA	NA	100
Births out of wedlock	22.1%	22.0%	22.8%	28.4%	25.5%	27.8%	NA	64
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	5.40%	5.20%	3.50%	2.90%	2.50%	2.5%	NA	5
Average per capita income	$20,789	$21,923	$23,150	$23,998	$26,482	NA	NA	12
Fiscal stress level	NA	170.43	170.35	171.15	171.05	NA	NA	98
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	23%	18%	17%	19%	17%	16%	NA	9
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	16.9	19.3	21.0	20.0	20.3	18.1	14.2	9
Average daily school membership	3,517	3,566	3,653	3,719	3,741	3,833	NA	69
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	68.8	73.4	70.1	69.6	73.1	76.3	NA	80
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	1,592	1,623	1,580	29

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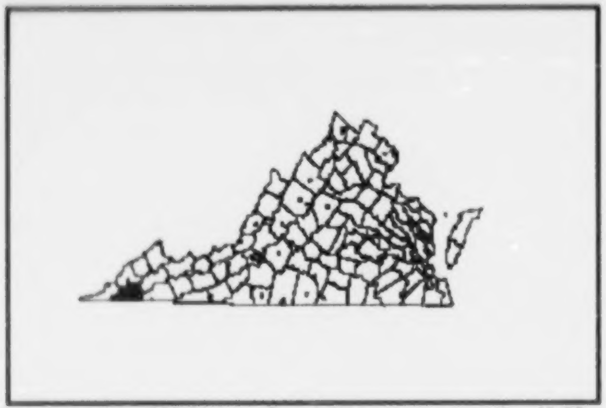

Square miles: 536.61 Population per square mile: 43.29

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	221	0.95%	110	111	218	3	0	0	0
1 - 4 Years	973	4.19%	479	494	958	7	1	0	7
5 - 11 Years	1,882	8.10%	974	908	1,859	12	1	0	10
12 - 14 Years	973	4.19%	533	440	957	9	1	0	6
15 - 17 Years	1,028	4.42%	506	522	1,020	4	1	0	3
18 - 44 Years	8,289	35.68%	4,141	4,148	8,188	59	7	3	32
45 - 64 Years	5,781	24.88%	2,805	2,976	5,740	27	4	2	8
Over 65 Years	4,085	17.58%	1,669	2,416	4,053	23	2	0	7
Total	23,232	99.99%	11,217	12,015	22,993	144	17	5	73
Percent			48.28%	51.72%	98.97%	0.62%	0.07%	0.02%	0.31%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	71.0%	73.2%	75.8%	83.4%	78.2%	76.1%	NA	119
Low birth-weight babies	8.2%	7.4%	4.3%	10.0%	8.1%	9.4%	NA	109
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	12.2	0.0	19.5	0.0	5.1	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	21%	29%	28%	24%	22%	31%	NA	56
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	14.9	11.3	7.2	4.9	7.1	6.9	NA	79
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	103.5	52.2	0.0	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	86%	85%	85%	88%	81%	84%	NA	58
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	71%	62%	64%	63%	57%	49%	NA	120
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	3%	4%	4%	4%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.50	1.50	1.50	0.0	NA	1
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	30.5	28.6	26.9	28.7	23.0	11.5	NA	9
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.3	3.3	1.0	3.9	NA	92
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.0	0.5	1.5	1.3	NA	46
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	50.6	100.5	0.0	0.0	100.0	50.0	NA	39
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	6,777.1	5,397.3	6,896.6	6,146.9	NA	68
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	1	0	1	3	1	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	194.2	0.0	97.8	194.6	97.3	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	49	37	33	46	43	43	33	45
Children whose parents divorced	1.3%	2.1%	1.5%	1.0%	1.8%	NA	NA	108
Births out of wedlock	15.9%	15.6%	16.0%	15.2%	22.8%	19.2	NA	18
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	9.00%	8.90%	8.00%	8.70%	8.80%	7.3%	NA	102
Average per capita income	$13,019	$13,657	$13,886	$14,424	$14,808	NA	NA	126
Fiscal stress level	NA	166.37	165.87	165.45	165.06	NA	NA	68
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	35%	36%	38%	40%	43%	44%	NA	96
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	99.2	99.8	94.8	89.4	82.9	78.2	72.7	98
Average daily school membership	4,055	4,057	3,962	3,922	3,875	3,865	NA	70
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	75.8	76.7	80.3	79.4	81.2	80.4	NA	104
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	272	236	258	90

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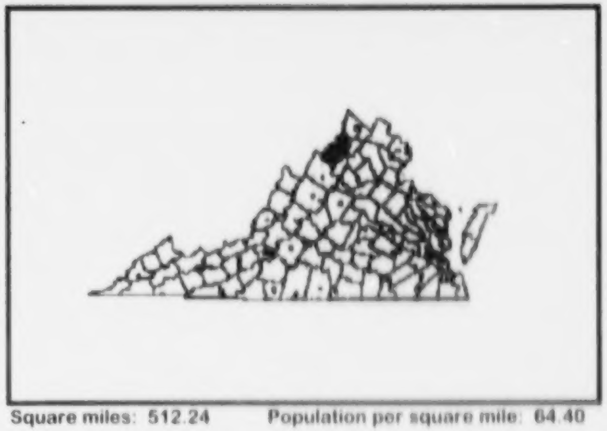

Square miles: 512.24 Population per square mile: 64.40

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	351	1.06%	174	177	337	5	0	4	5
1 - 4 Years	1,664	5.04%	875	789	1,596	19	5	11	33
5 - 11 Years	2,898	8.78%	1,416	1,482	2,803	28	4	13	50
12 - 14 Years	1,181	3.58%	618	563	1,134	21	0	8	18
15 - 17 Years	1,102	3.34%	573	529	1,073	16	2	5	6
18 - 44 Years	12,141	36.80%	6,095	6,046	11,798	152	14	32	145
45 - 64 Years	7,826	23.72%	3,809	4,017	7,655	80	14	22	55
Over 65 Years	5,826	17.66%	2,392	3,434	5,745	56	1	9	15
Total	32,989	99.98%	15,952	17,037	32,141	377	40	104	327
Percent			48.36%	51.64%	97.43%	1.14%	0.12%	0.32%	0.99%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	78.6%	81.3%	82.6%	84.6%	80.2%	81.5%	NA	90
Low birth-weight babies	4.7%	4.7%	4.7%	5.0%	6.6%	4.6%	NA	6
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	7.0	2.6	13.8	4.7	0.0	2.6	NA	50
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	25%	22%	23%	22%	20%	26%	NA	87
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	5.5	2.9	4.9	5.1	6.5	8.5	NA	91
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	35.2	35.1	69.7	34.8	0.0	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	88%	87%	84%	82%	79%	78%	NA	88
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	72%	61%	78%	75%	69%	70%	NA	50
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	6%	3%	5%	4%	6%	6%	NA	102
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.00	0.88	2.63	6.1	NA	73
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	36.4	28.8	26.9	32.1	26.5	37.8	NA	90
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.1	2.8	1.9	5.5	NA	122
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.5	3.6	0.8	1.1	NA	38
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	45.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	175.2	NA	66
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	7,025.3	5,825.7	6,614.1	7,621.6	NA	83
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	1	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	90.7	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	20	17	12	18	18	26	28	53
Children whose parents divorced	1.9%	2.0%	1.5%	1.8%	1.4%	NA	NA	66
Births out of wedlock	24.9%	26.8%	27.8%	27.3%	31.2%	32.8%	NA	80
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	6.30%	6.50%	4.00%	3.60%	5.70%	5.0%	NA	69
Average per capita income	$15,912	$16,542	$17,145	$18,174	$18,966	NA	NA	73
Fiscal stress level	NA	163.08	163.46	164.53	163.05	NA	NA	53
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	19%	21%	23%	22%	20%	21%	NA	27
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	31.4	36.1	34.5	32.9	31.5	25.7	18.2	19
Average daily school membership	4,793	4,851	4,911	5,016	5,176	5,242	NA	88
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	76.2	75.3	73.6	79.7	78.4	80.2	NA	101
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	345	452	516	63

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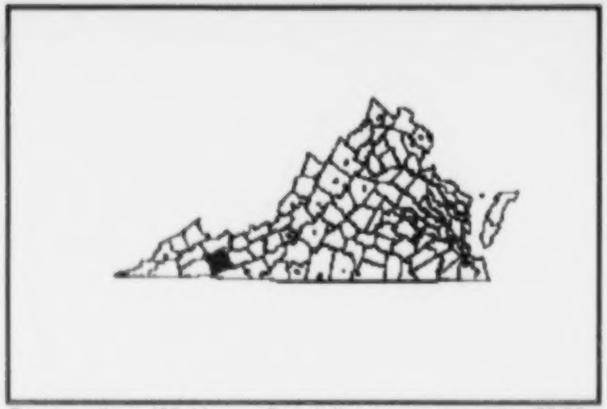

Square miles: 452.11 Population per square mile: 72.92

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	357	1.08%	177	180	344	10	0	0	3
1 - 4 Years	1,526	4.63%	777	749	1,486	33	0	2	5
5 - 11 Years	2,777	8.42%	1,436	1,341	2,711	46	2	7	11
12 - 14 Years	1,325	4.02%	689	636	1,293	23	0	6	3
15 - 17 Years	1,502	4.56%	747	755	1,431	51	5	7	8
18 - 44 Years	12,227	37.09%	6,057	6,170	11,783	365	17	22	40
45 - 64 Years	7,970	24.17%	3,850	4,120	7,826	94	8	20	22
Over 65 Years	5,285	16.03%	2,028	3,257	5,202	65	2	5	11
Total	32,969	100.00%	15,761	17,208	32,076	687	34	69	103
Percent			47.81%	52.19%	97.29%	2.08%	0.10%	0.21%	0.31%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	84.4%	88.1%	90.7%	90.9%	90.3%	90.6%	NA	19
Low birth-weight babies	9.3%	10.4%	6.3%	7.1%	7.1%	6.7%	NA	51
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	7.6	9.7	5.3	5.5	8.5	14.6	NA	115
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	32%	29%	25%	27%	33%	37%	NA	33
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	6.7	7.3	4.4	8.5	5.3	8.0	NA	89
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	17.8	52.9	35.4	17.8	17.8	17.8	NA	65

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	90%	86%	85%	84%	80%	82%	NA	68
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	73%	65%	69%	70%	64%	73%	NA	40
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	1%	NA	2
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.29	4.95	3.18	1.4	NA	33
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	34.7	30.7	22.8	25.2	37.1	21.2	NA	39
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.9	2.4	3.2	1.9	NA	44
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.9	2.4	2.5	3.4	NA	103
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	36.0	71.6	35.8	141.5	70.7	141.5	NA	59
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	7,653.8	7,145.4	9,126.3	8,065.1	NA	88
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	3	0	0	0	1	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	134.0	0.0	67.4	0.0	133.2	0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	19	29	32	37	41	39	55	31
Children whose parents divorced	1.6%	2.0%	2.0%	1.9%	1.4%	NA	NA	65
Births out of wedlock	22.7%	19.4%	21.7%	24.5%	29.3%	25.4%	NA	51
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	10.00%	13.50%	11.70%	10.30%	9.80%	10.7%	NA	127
Average per capita income	$13,943	$14,719	$15,080	$15,659	$16,453	NA	NA	108
Fiscal stress level	NA	167.97	168.50	169.01	168.68	NA	NA	89
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	28%	29%	31%	32%	34%	35%	NA	70
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	64.3	62.5	61.3	60.4	59.4	52.5	51.0	72
Average daily school membership	5,531	5,434	5,327	5,321	5,282	5,225	NA	87
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	69.7	69.5	71.3	72.6	75.4	77.7	NA	86
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	521	617	692	56

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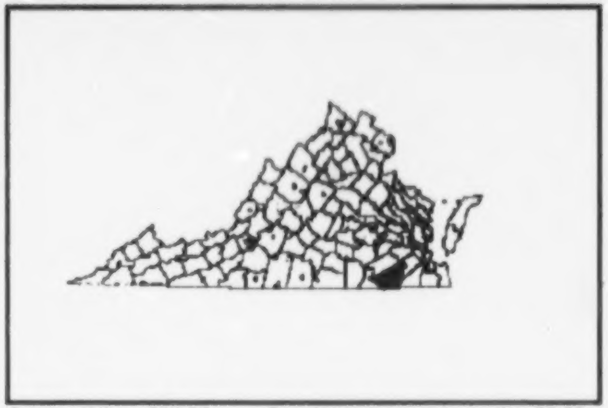

Data are combined for Southampton County and Franklin City for children whose parents divorced.

Square miles: 600.27 Population per square mile: 28.32

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	190	1.12%	102	88	90	97	0	0	3
1 - 4 Years	849	4.99%	429	420	415	430	0	1	3
5 - 11 Years	1,526	8.98%	825	701	763	760	1	1	1
12 - 14 Years	705	4.15%	363	342	364	337	0	3	1
15 - 17 Years	725	4.26%	422	303	332	391	1	1	0
18 - 44 Years	6,895	40.56%	3,909	2,986	3,515	3,342	9	9	20
45 - 64 Years	3,630	21.35%	1,793	1,837	2,115	1,507	2	1	5
Over 65 Years	2,481	14.59%	1,010	1,471	1,415	1,057	3	1	5
Total	17,001	100.00%	8,853	8,148	9,009	7,921	16	17	38
Percent			52.07%	47.93%	52.99%	46.59%	0.09%	0.10%	0.22%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	73.0%	82.7%	77.6%	73.4%	80.7%	83.3%	NA	80
Low birth-weight babies	6.5%	9.9%	6.5%	8.2%	9.4%	5.9%	NA	29
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	5.4	5.2	9.3	0.0	11.7	10.8	NA	99
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	19%	11%	28%	25%	29%	63%	NA	1
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	6.2	3.7	2.5	2.0	1.5	4.8	NA	54
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	64.4	32.5	0.0	64.9	NA	119

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	69%	72%	75%	74%	74%	70%	NA	125
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	60%	62%	47%	60%	46%	44%	NA	124
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	8%	7%	5%	5%	6%	NA	102
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.95	11.89	6.29	10.5	NA	95
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	30.4	26.9	30.2	26.4	19.8	46.2	NA	109
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.9	2.2	0.7	3.5	NA	86
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.7	2.6	2.2	1.4	NA	51
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	279.7	139.9	139.9	NA	58
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	3,184.7	3,916.1	3,846.2	2,097.9	NA	17
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	2	1	0	0	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	141.0	421.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	15	12	13	14	12	12	12	86
Children whose parents divorced	1.5%	0.9%	1.3%	1.2%	0.9%	NA	NA	9
Births out of wedlock	39.5%	34.0%	42.5%	41.3%	28.7%	31.7%	NA	78
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	5.40%	6.80%	5.40%	5.50%	4.40%	4.9%	NA	67
Average per capita income	$16,564	$17,003	$17,457	$18,904	$20,006	NA	NA	49
Fiscal stress level	NA	165.51	165.14	165.36	164.91	NA	NA	67
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	45%	46%	47%	48%	48%	47%	NA	103
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	92.8	93.9	92.6	97.1	90.1	77.6	52.1	75
Average daily school membership	2,549	2,616	2,670	2,734	2,785	2,861	NA	56
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	81.0	78.2	66.7	67.3	71.3	71.8	NA	47
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	255	221	250	91

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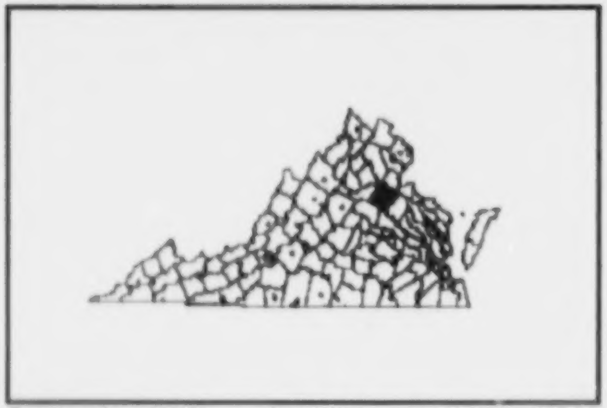

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	1,111	1.66%	573	538	945	121	3	19	23
1 - 4 Years	4,688	6.99%	2,405	2,283	3,965	538	6	57	122
5 - 11 Years	8,091	12.06%	4,119	3,972	6,883	929	18	50	211
12 - 14 Years	3,368	5.02%	1,689	1,679	2,821	441	8	45	53
15 - 17 Years	3,019	4.50%	1,553	1,466	2,504	400	16	45	54
18 - 44 Years	29,494	43.97%	14,489	15,005	25,053	3,401	125	403	512
45 - 64 Years	12,171	18.14%	6,204	5,967	10,541	1,344	44	146	96
Over 65 Years	5,143	7.67%	2,240	2,903	4,442	633	8	34	26
Total	67,085	100.01%	33,272	33,813	57,154	7,807	228	799	1,097
Percent			49.60%	50.40%	85.20%	11.64%	0.34%	1.19%	1.64%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	88.9%	89.7%	87.9%	88.3%	88.4%	91.2%	NA	18
Low birth-weight babies	6.6%	4.7%	7.5%	5.9%	5.9%	6.8%	NA	55
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	7.1	5.4	8.9	7.2	6.6	5.8	NA	73
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	14%	16%	20%	26%	25%	29%	NA	73
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	2.3	1.0	1.5	1.8	2.5	2.9	NA	22
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	20.7	20.2	19.2	12.4	18.6	12.4	NA	55

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	91%	89%	90%	90%	89%	87%	NA	41
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	75%	67%	72%	69%	68%	70%	NA	50
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	6%	6%	5%	6%	5%	6%	NA	102
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.66	1.10	1.41	2.5	NA	43
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	14.7	20.4	20.8	19.1	27.3	21.1	NA	38
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.2	1.8	3.1	2.3	NA	51
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.3	2.7	2.0	1.9	NA	62
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	16.4	15.7	109.6	93.9	NA	52
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	6,015.8	8,689.5	14,341.6	22,279.6	NA	124
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	2	1	1	2	2	2	NA	113
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	37.5	36.6	34.9	33.1	33.1	99.4	NA	104
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	53	55	46	44	48	42	56	30
Children whose parents divorced	1.2%	1.5%	1.3%	1.2%	1.7%	NA	NA	102
Births out of wedlock	17.4%	18.1%	19.9%	21.5%	20.8%	22.3%	NA	32
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	6.00%	6.20%	4.50%	3.90%	3.80%	3.4%	NA	30
Average per capita income	$18,485	$18,949	$19,841	$20,977	$22,430	NA	NA	29
Fiscal stress level	NA	154.98	155.27	155.65	155.15	NA	NA	20
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	9%	12%	15%	14%	15%	15%	NA	8
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	14.0	19.0	20.3	19.8	19.5	19.0	18.7	21
Average daily school membership	12,252	12,978	13,575	14,124	14,658	15,222	NA	120
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	67.8	67.0	64.9	63.2	63.0	68.7	NA	28
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	1,213	1,288	1,403	35

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Square miles: 270.01 Population per square mile: 283.11

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	1,205	1.58%	616	589	1,035	114	1	19	36
1 - 4 Years	5,193	6.79%	2,665	2,528	4,509	407	16	103	158
5 - 11 Years	8,920	11.67%	4,586	4,334	7,851	629	40	146	254
12 - 14 Years	3,860	5.05%	1,965	1,895	3,372	292	31	60	105
15 - 17 Years	3,401	4.45%	1,779	1,622	3,017	261	11	43	69
18 - 44 Years	34,795	45.51%	18,265	16,530	30,384	2,885	144	525	857
45 - 64 Years	14,342	18.76%	7,488	6,854	13,047	919	46	179	151
Over 65 Years	4,733	6.19%	2,034	2,699	4,376	303	9	28	17
Total	76,449	100.00%	39,398	37,051	67,591	5,810	298	1,103	1,647
Percent			51.54%	48.46%	88.41%	7.60%	0.39%	1.44%	2.15%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	86.7%	88.3%	89.9%	84.9%	85.3%	89.0%	NA	31
Low birth-weight babies	4.5%	4.3%	5.3%	6.5%	6.2%	6.8%	NA	53
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	7.1	8.6	6.8	4.6	6.3	6.9	NA	78
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	16%	28%	31%	29%	25%	27%	NA	85
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	4.6	3.6	4.0	3.3	3.3	4.0	NA	39
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	12.8	29.9	5.8	5.6	22.3	16.7	NA	63

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	89%	89%	91%	89%	83%	86%	NA	48
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	73%	72%	76%	77%	76%	77%	NA	20
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	5%	6%	5%	6%	4%	2%	NA	9
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.18	1.79	3.03	1.7	NA	35
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	20.7	13.4	19.5	21.6	18.5	19.7	NA	32
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.9	2.0	3.5	2.8	NA	67
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.0	1.0	0.5	1.3	NA	47
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	16.2	0.0	14.5	27.5	151.5	123.9	NA	54
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	4,719.7	4,200.5	6,156.2	10,122.6	NA	96
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	3	0	1	0	3	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	101.9	0.0	31.0	0.0	88.2	117.6	NA	110
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	118	102	113	116	116	105	101	19
Children whose parents divorced	1.3%	1.1%	0.9%	1.0%	1.4%	NA	NA	68
Births out of wedlock	18.9%	18.1%	17.8%	19.3%	17.9%	21.2%	NA	26
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	5.00%	5.40%	3.30%	3.00%	3.10%	2.8%	NA	13
Average per capita income	$16,858	$17,394	$17,977	$18,353	$19,543	NA	NA	58
Fiscal stress level	NA	154.45	154.23	153.38	154.54	NA	NA	18
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	9%	11%	12%	14%	13%	14%	NA	7
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	16.2	20.5	20.3	19.8	20.6	19.2	14.8	12
Average daily school membership	12,524	13,049	13,668	14,446	15,544	16,528	NA	121
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	67.2	67.1	66.7	68.0	67.6	69.4	NA	33
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	2,081	2,330	2,568	21

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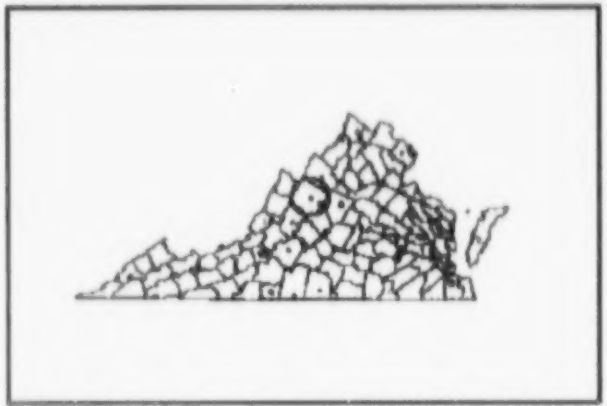

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	276	1.11%	149	127	222	53	0	0	1
1 - 4 Years	1,112	4.47%	558	554	865	230	5	1	11
5 - 11 Years	1,951	7.85%	1,007	944	1,590	337	0	7	17
12 - 14 Years	834	3.36%	419	415	669	152	0	5	8
15 - 17 Years	904	3.64%	431	473	728	146	1	16	13
18 - 44 Years	9,791	39.39%	4,894	4,897	8,148	1,500	19	62	62
45 - 64 Years	5,549	22.33%	2,624	2,925	4,916	588	8	13	24
Over 65 Years	4,437	17.85%	1,648	2,789	4,055	357	5	4	16
Total	24,854	100.00%	11,730	13,124	21,193	3,363	38	108	152
Percent			47.20%	52.80%	85.27%	13.53%	0.15%	0.43%	0.61%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	77.5%	85.2%	84.2%	84.9%	79.7%	83.4%	NA	79
Low birth-weight babies	5.6%	8.6%	6.9%	6.9%	6.5%	6.6%	NA	44
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	0.0	6.9	3.8	12.2	4.6	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	26%	22%	23%	23%	17%	30%	NA	63
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	10.1	5.5	13.4	11.4	9.5	13.2	NA	124
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	25.7	51.3	25.7	NA	80

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	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	89%	88%	81%	86%	81%	82%	NA	68
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	78%	63%	74%	77%	59%	75%	NA	31
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	3%	4%	5%	8%	4%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	18.64	11.51	16.67	16.1	NA	108
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	45.0	36.4	34.3	23.3	29.6	42.3	NA	101
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.3	3.8	5.1	4.5	NA	104
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	10.0	6.8	5.5	1.4	NA	49
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	118.2	293.1	174.7	1,035.7	863.1	690.4	NA	118
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	13,220.7	8,975.8	12,197.9	10,702.0	NA	97
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	221.2	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	44	46	48	50	52	67	73	25
Children whose parents divorced	1.9%	2.1%	1.9%	1.6%	1.2%	NA	NA	49
Births out of wedlock	37.7%	31.4%	37.7%	35.5%	37.8%	37.5%	NA	94
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	5.10%	5.90%	4.50%	5.20%	5.00%	4.5%	NA	63
Average per capita income	$17,090	$17,697	$18,189	$18,917	$19,910	NA	NA	51
Fiscal stress level	NA	172.96	172.87	173.89	173.78	NA	NA	110
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	25%	36%	39%	39%	39%	41%	NA	93
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	82.6	93.4	99.0	98.3	84.1	74.1	53.0	76
Average daily school membership	2,996	3,014	3,005	2,933	2,916	2,911	NA	58
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	78.3	82.7	73.6	75.4	77.8	80.6	NA	107
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	1,140	1,090	1,322	39

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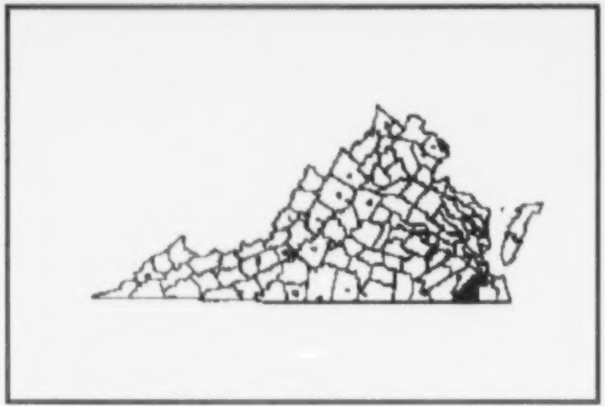

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1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	812	1.48%	433	379	377	425	1	3	6
1 - 4 Years	3,326	6.06%	1,682	1,644	1,572	1,723	1	12	18
5 - 11 Years	5,851	10.65%	2,968	2,883	2,660	3,133	16	23	19
12 - 14 Years	2,555	4.65%	1,299	1,256	1,163	1,363	1	15	13
15 - 17 Years	2,346	4.27%	1,166	1,180	1,048	1,271	3	16	8
18 - 44 Years	21,068	38.36%	10,036	11,032	11,071	9,766	62	86	83
45 - 64 Years	11,656	21.22%	5,522	6,134	6,873	4,677	28	51	27
Over 65 Years	7,314	13.32%	2,853	4,461	4,111	3,157	14	10	22
Total	54,928	100.01%	25,959	28,969	28,875	25,515	126	216	196
Percent			47.26%	52.74%	52.57%	46.45%	0.23%	0.39%	0.36%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	78.0%	80.9%	85.9%	87.4%	82.2%	83.7%	NA	78
Low birth-weight babies	8.5%	10.0%	8.4%	9.1%	9.3%	7.7%	NA	77
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	17.3	3.6	6.5	8.0	13.1	14.3	NA	113
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	21%	18%	40%	33%	33%	34%	NA	47
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	7.2	6.2	5.5	3.0	3.2	2.6	NA	19
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	35.3	26.2	43.1	17.0	42.6	25.6	NA	79

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	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	81%	81%	76%	80%	80%	84%	NA	58
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	45%	46%	58%	57%	49%	58%	NA	98
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	8%	8%	8%	6%	3%	6%	NA	102
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	22.44	22.44	16.94	17.1	NA	113
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	73.8	53.8	56.1	43.2	63.6	46.6	NA	111
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.4	3.9	4.6	4.4	NA	103
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.2	3.2	2.3	2.6	NA	80
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	1,140.4	515.6	608.2	1,183.4	897.8	489.7	NA	108
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	14,282.7	11,630.3	13,956.3	7,855.5	NA	85
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	1	2	0	1	1	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	91.2	179.8	44.0	85.3	42.6	42.6	NA	83
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	125	103	114	118	121	109	100	20
Children whose parents divorced	1.1%	0.8%	0.8%	1.1%	0.8%	NA	NA	5
Births out of wedlock	46.8%	49.9%	46.0%	43.4%	43.0%	39.5%	NA	99
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	6.30%	7.90%	6.60%	7.20%	6.50%	6.2%	NA	92
Average per capita income	$16,711	$17,343	$17,699	$18,383	$19,324	NA	NA	62
Fiscal stress level	NA	170.30	170.23	170.57	169.58	NA	NA	93
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	47%	45%	49%	50%	50%	50%	NA	113
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	141.3	143.9	133.8	132.2	132.2	122.8	105.0	116
Average daily school membership	8,960	9,034	9,142	9,310	9,535	10,018	NA	112
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	64.6	62.1	61.9	61.9	64.4	64.8	NA	6
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	1,056	1,244	1,672	28

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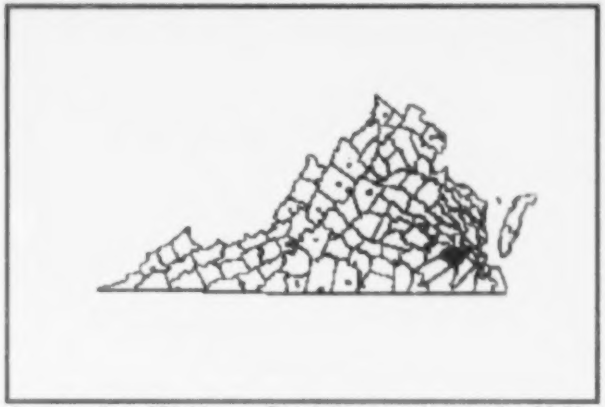


Square miles: 279.11 Population per square mile: 22.78

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	83	1.31%	43	40	33	49	1	0	0
1 - 4 Years	376	5.91%	182	194	141	233	0	0	2
5 - 11 Years	655	10.30%	330	325	247	405	1	0	2
12 - 14 Years	305	4.80%	149	156	91	213	0	0	1
15 - 17 Years	264	4.15%	135	129	68	196	0	0	0
18 - 44 Years	2,435	38.30%	1,181	1,254	997	1,424	5	2	7
45 - 64 Years	1,308	20.57%	629	679	597	706	1	0	4
Over 65 Years	932	14.66%	400	532	502	426	2	0	2
Total	6,358	100.00%	3,049	3,309	2,676	3,652	10	2	18
Percent			47.96%	52.04%	42.09%	57.44%	0.16%	0.03%	0.28%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	80.2%	75.9%	80.0%	80.5%	83.1%	85.1%	NA	65
Low birth-weight babies	8.9%	10.3%	8.2%	5.7%	6.2%	10.8%	NA	124
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	0.0	23.0	0.0	0.0	15.4	13.5	NA	111
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	21%	29%	27%	17%	17%	50%	NA	5
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	1.2	1.2	8.8	5.3	3.0	5.9	NA	70
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	74.9	74.9	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	92%	90%	95%	87%	81%	94%	NA	8
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	71%	52%	72%	56%	49%	58%	NA	98
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	1%	4%	5%	5%	4%	3%	NA	24
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	5.33	14.06	12.30	15.8	NA	106
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	74.4	23.8	23.6	62.0	38.8	46.5	NA	110
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	9.9	0.0	5.6	0.8	NA	13
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.5	2.5	0.8	1.6	NA	56
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	563.9	361.0	177.6	175.7	527.2	527.2	NA	110
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	5,861.5	5,448.2	4,217.9	2,284.7	NA	20
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	1	0	1	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	390.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	9	8	7	5	5	6	3	119
Children whose parents divorced	1.4%	1.5%	1.9%	1.3%	0.8%	NA	NA	7
Births out of wedlock	44.6%	40.2%	44.7%	48.3%	49.2%	41.9%	NA	107
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	9.20%	13.40%	11.10%	11.90%	9.20%	10.5%	NA	126
Average per capita income	$15,000	$15,365	$15,254	$16,399	$17,932	NA	NA	83
Fiscal stress level	NA	145.26	143.24	142.80	143.74	NA	NA	4
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	41%	43%	49%	52%	52%	52%	NA	116
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	74.1	81.8	92.4	91.5	92.7	87.3	63.0	89
Average daily school membership	1,154	1,187	1,207	1,192	1,242	1,273	NA	15
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	70.2	73.3	84.5	74.7	72.5	68.1	NA	24
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	45	45	171	109

SUSSEX

Square miles: 490.75 Population per square mile: 20.48

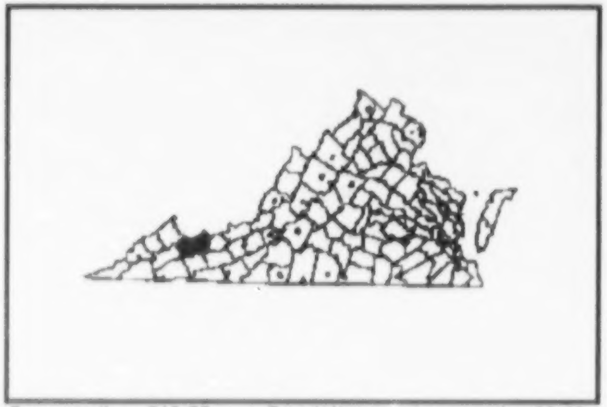
1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	133	1.32%	76	57	40	92	0	1	0
1 - 4 Years	575	5.72%	297	278	201	372	0	1	1
5 - 11 Years	929	9.24%	476	453	301	626	0	0	2
12 - 14 Years	422	4.20%	232	190	147	275	0	0	0
15 - 17 Years	428	4.26%	225	203	124	302	1	1	0
18 - 44 Years	3,792	37.73%	1,801	1,991	1,436	2,330	6	11	9
45 - 64 Years	2,214	22.03%	1,064	1,150	960	1,244	6	1	3
Over 65 Years	1,557	15.49%	606	951	777	775	2	2	1
Total	10,050	99.99%	4,777	5,273	3,986	6,016	15	17	16
Percent			47.53%	52.47%	39.66%	59.86%	0.15%	0.17%	0.16%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	69.4%	69.1%	70.2%	72.1%	77.1%	80.2%	NA	97
Low birth-weight babies	9.4%	9.1%	12.8%	13.2%	4.2%	7.9%	NA	80
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	41.2	0.0	7.1	7.4	8.5	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	21%	34%	53%	55%	44%	35%	NA	40
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	4.7	8.3	6.8	16.9	12.9	12.1	NA	119
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	50.6	102.7	51.9	0.0	51.9	NA	111

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	40%	54%	55%	52%	68%	74%	NA	112
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	54%	47%	40%	49%	39%	37%	NA	133
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	3%	8%	4%	8%	5%	5%	NA	81
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	13.02	8.24	17.65	15.3	NA	104
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	65.3	74.6	64.7	49.3	54.2	39.4	NA	97
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.0	0.7	1.3	0.7	NA	10
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.4	0.7	1.3	2.6	NA	81
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	238.4	117.8	355.0	1,176.5	1,176.5	352.9	NA	102
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	4,497.0	3,529.4	6,352.9	4,705.9	NA	45
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	2	0	1	1	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	237.0	0.0	236.4	233.6	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	6	4	6	5	5	4	1	128
Children whose parents divorced	1.2%	0.8%	0.9%	1.2%	1.4%	NA	NA	62
Births out of wedlock	52.4	53.3%	57.4%	53.7%	53.4%	55.4%	NA	129
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	10.40%	11.30%	8.20%	7.40%	6.20%	7.5%	NA	105
Average per capita income	$14,867	$15,700	$16,038	$17,476	$19,140	NA	NA	64
Fiscal stress level	NA	169.98	170.32	167.16	175.02	NA	NA	117
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	67%	73%	73%	72%	75%	71%	NA	134
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	158.0	163.5	170.3	162.8	149.6	126.7	102.9	115
Average daily school membership	1,469	1,452	1,465	1,469	1,499	1,519	NA	20
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	50.0	45.7	47.1	50.3	64.1	72.7	NA	54
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	117	178	148	114

TAZEWELL



Square miles: 519.77 Population per square mile: 90.52

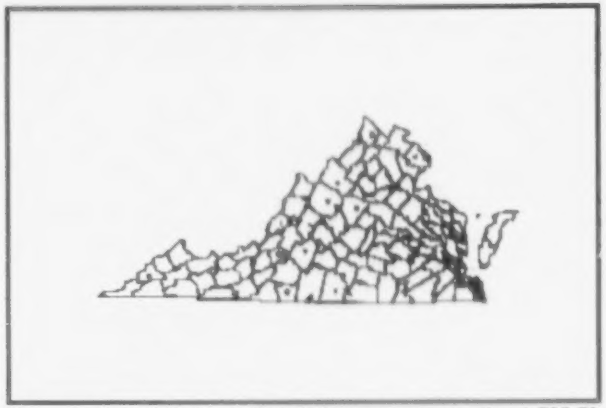
1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	505	1.07%	264	241	477	23	0	1	4
1 - 4 Years	2,179	4.63%	1,135	1,044	2,064	87	2	18	8
5 - 11 Years	4,454	9.47%	2,288	2,166	4,259	140	7	40	8
12 - 14 Years	2,335	4.96%	1,224	1,111	2,221	84	1	23	6
15 - 17 Years	2,371	5.04%	1,269	1,102	2,270	70	1	23	7
18 - 44 Years	17,840	37.92%	8,774	9,066	17,177	502	23	95	43
45 - 64 Years	10,593	22.51%	5,066	5,527	10,277	213	14	57	32
Over 65 Years	6,772	14.39%	2,637	4,135	6,542	193	9	8	20
Total	47,049	99.99%	22,657	24,392	45,287	1,312	57	265	128
Percent			48.16%	51.84%	96.25%	2.79%	0.12%	0.56%	0.27%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	67.1%	69.4%	74.2%	72.9%	76.7%	81.3%	NA	93
Low birth-weight babies	7.0%	8.0%	7.0%	7.7%	8.4%	6.8%	NA	54
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	10.8	10.4	20.1	3.6	7.3	4.0	NA	59
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	19%	16%	17%	21%	19%	24%	NA	98
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	5.1	4.6	7.4	5.7	6.3	4.1	NA	41
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	44.6	33.3	22.2	11.2	11.2	22.3	NA	73

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	86%	83%	88%	87%	88%	86%	NA	48
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	67%	55%	59%	58%	57%	57%	NA	104
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	4%	6%	4%	5%	5%	NA	81
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.86	1.70	1.70	0.8	NA	24
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	38.1	30.0	31.1	29.0	41.7	38.1	NA	91
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.2	1.4	5.6	4.7	NA	110
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.3	0.8	1.6	0.4	NA	15
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	64.9	43.0	64.3	63.7	42.5	63.7	NA	44
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	4,606.8	3,846.2	6,141.1	1,020.0	NA	8
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	2	0	2	0	1	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	42.3	0.0	42.6	0.0	42.2	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	35	38	33	58	46	52	63	29
Children whose parents divorced	1.6%	1.4%	1.6%	1.4%	1.6%	NA	NA	96
Births out of wedlock	20.6%	23.8%	22.5%	24.8%	24.6%	25.0%	NA	47
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	12.00%	14.00%	12.90%	13.90%	10.20%	9.6%	NA	123
Average per capita income	$14,188	$14,892	$15,107	$15,760	$16,556	NA	NA	107
Fiscal stress level	NA	167.12	167.17	167.31	167.03	NA	NA	83
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	30%	32%	34%	33%	36%	39%	NA	87
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	79.7	83.6	89.8	94.5	97.3	91.6	83.1	104
Average daily school membership	8,811	8,721	8,574	8,375	8,247	8,025	NA	100
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	64.4	63.0	64.7	65.9	67.6	74.6	NA	70
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	419	504	542	61

VIRGINIA BEACH



Square miles: 248.32 Population per square mile: 1,732.79

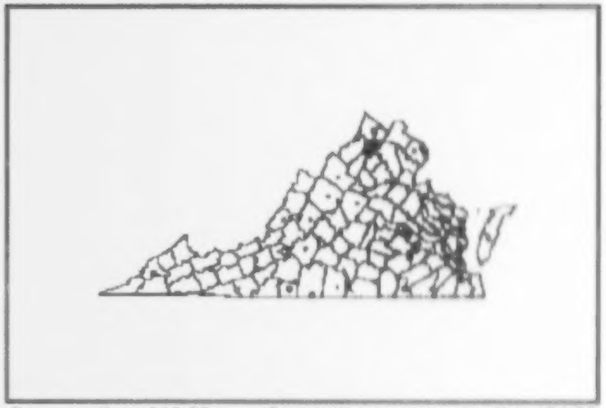
1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	7,770	1.81%	4,041	3,729	5,742	1,398	16	322	292
1 - 4 Years	30,495	7.09%	15,650	14,845	22,214	5,443	69	1,487	1,282
5 - 11 Years	47,828	11.12%	24,301	23,527	34,586	8,649	167	2,747	1,679
12 - 14 Years	18,813	4.37%	9,614	9,199	13,382	3,351	87	1,383	610
15 - 17 Years	16,389	3.81%	8,331	8,058	11,781	2,796	63	1,262	487
18 - 44 Years	212,960	49.49%	110,987	101,973	162,720	32,909	1,000	10,053	6,278
45 - 64 Years	69,212	16.08%	33,507	35,705	56,563	6,955	191	4,235	1,268
Over 65 Years	26,825	6.23%	10,908	15,917	22,883	2,384	40	1,212	306
Total	430,292	100.00%	217,339	212,953	329,871	63,885	1,633	22,701	12,202
Percent			50.51%	49.49%	76.66%	14.85%	0.38%	5.28%	2.84%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	80.9%	79.6%	81.9%	80.8%	83.9%	85.3%	NA	64
Low birth-weight babies	7.1%	6.6%	6.9%	7.2%	7.2%	7.4%	NA	72
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	12.8	10.0	9.8	8.0	6.4	7.3	NA	80
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	28%	35%	34%	35%	40%	38%	NA	28
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	6.3	6.2	6.4	7.6	7.5	8.0	NA	87
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	29.8	21.3	26.0	26.8	17.5	14.4	NA	59

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	88%	88%	88%	90%	91%	90%	NA	27
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	81%	70%	76%	80%	74%	78%	NA	16
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	5%	6%	7%	8%	8%	8%	NA	124
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	5.07	6.73	3.95	4.4	NA	65
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	27.2	29.1	25.1	28.2	30.4	25.6	NA	54
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.4	1.6	2.0	2.7	NA	61
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.0	2.1	1.5	1.8	NA	60
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	399.6	258.3	277.0	326.7	406.2	343.7	NA	99
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	11,192.7	11,703.9	12,448.2	9,289.2	NA	93
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	1	2	5	11	4	4	NA	131
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	26.4	44.9	37.6	85.4	30.5	61.0	NA	95
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	212	226	178	178	172	199	241	8
Children whose parents divorced	1.7%	1.7%	1.8%	1.7%	1.7%	NA	NA	99
Births out of wedlock	20.6%	20.7%	21.5%	23.5%	23.8%	25.0%	NA	45
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	4.80%	5.30%	4.40%	4.80%	4.30%	4.1%	NA	51
Average per capita income	$19,410	$19,884	$20,167	$20,797	$22,433	NA	NA	28
Fiscal stress level	NA	168.35	168.55	168.85	169.36	NA	NA	90
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	18%	20%	22%	23%	28%	25%	NA	36
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	37.0	43.7	47.4	48.8	47.6	41.0	30.4	39
Average daily school membership	69,638	71,847	73,324	73,742	74,698	75,898	NA	133
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	60.7	65.5	64.5	67.6	69.1	67.8	NA	19
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	15,966	17,196	18,201	2

WARREN



Square miles: 213.72 Population per square mile: 134.98

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	412	1.43%	207	205	379	24	1	1	7
1 - 4 Years	1,816	6.30%	917	899	1,677	113	1	3	22
5 - 11 Years	2,755	9.55%	1,397	1,358	2,534	172	6	12	31
12 - 14 Years	1,057	3.66%	550	507	976	64	2	1	14
15 - 17 Years	1,032	3.58%	536	496	935	78	1	4	14
18 - 44 Years	11,537	39.99%	5,826	5,711	10,742	604	19	35	137
45 - 64 Years	6,261	21.70%	3,101	3,160	5,901	287	9	19	45
Over 65 Years	3,978	13.79%	1,618	2,360	3,763	194	6	1	14
Total	28,848	100.00%	14,152	14,696	26,907	1,536	45	76	284
Percent			49.06%	50.94%	93.27%	5.32%	0.16%	0.26%	0.98%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	82.3%	85.3%	83.5%	82.2%	87.1%	90.2%	NA	24
Low birth-weight babies	6.6%	2.8%	6.5%	5.0%	5.5%	7.9%	NA	78
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	8.8	4.7	7.9	4.2	2.4	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	14%	14%	17%	29%	27%	30%	NA	63
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	7.6	5.0	6.5	9.6	3.8	5.9	NA	69
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	18.8	0.0	18.1	0.0	35.5	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	90%	85%	83%	82%	88%	87%	NA	41
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	64%	49%	55%	55%	58%	67%	NA	65
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	8%	7%	9%	10%	9%	7%	NA	118
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	5.44	7.18	7.66	8.1	NA	87
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	43.0	29.5	27.1	48.4	48.4	38.3	NA	94
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.4	4.7	5.3	2.8	NA	66
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.7	5.4	2.2	2.8	NA	88
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	100.8	98.9	622.3	287.2	191.5	NA	73
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	8,947.1	9,047.4	5,217.8	3,398.8	NA	34
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	0	1	0	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	100.2	96.9	0.0	96.9	NA	103
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	39	29	34	29	31	31	44	36
Children whose parents divorced	1.5%	1.6%	1.7%	1.7%	1.7%	NA	NA	97
Births out of wedlock	21.4%	26.6%	28.8%	33.1%	28.9%	31.4%	NA	76
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	9.80%	10.90%	6.70%	5.80%	5.70%	5.1%	NA	73
Average per capita income	$16,274	$16,473	$17,125	$17,759	$19,346	NA	NA	61
Fiscal stress level	NA	157.64	158.45	159.07	158.95	NA	NA	35
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	16%	20%	20%	20%	18%	19%	NA	19
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	38.4	47.7	51.2	58.4	58.3	51.0	46.0	64
Average daily school membership	4,173	4,322	4,376	4,478	4,507	4,580	NA	79
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	69.3	57.2	71.5	67.2	71.2	73.1	NA	58
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	794	978	999	42

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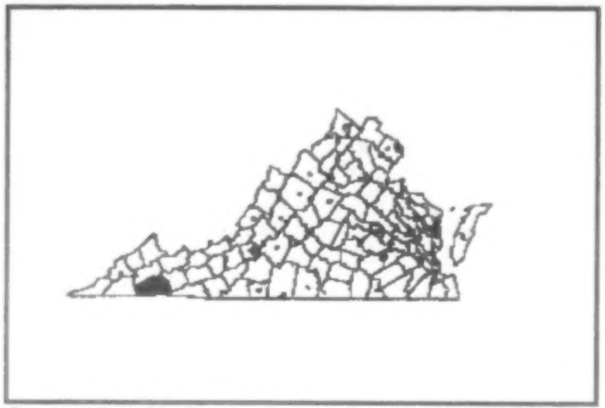

Square miles: 564.21 Population per square mile: 84.44

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	494	1.04%	243	251	478	10	0	3	3
1 - 4 Years	2,076	4.36%	1,076	1,000	2,027	31	0	2	16
5 - 11 Years	4,029	8.46%	2,083	1,946	3,936	64	7	4	18
12 - 14 Years	1,935	4.06%	971	964	1,887	31	4	4	9
15 - 17 Years	1,962	4.12%	1,002	960	1,917	30	2	5	8
18 - 44 Years	18,334	38.48%	9,067	9,267	17,924	298	12	36	64
45 - 64 Years	11,691	24.54%	5.671	6,020	11,465	171	6	18	31
Over 65 Years	7,122	14.95%	3,019	4,103	7,005	106	2	2	7
Total	47,643	100.01%	23,132	24,511	46,639	741	33	74	156
Percent			48.55%	51.45%	97.89%	1.56%	0.07%	0.16%	0.33%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	83.7%	86.1%	86.0%	87.5%	89.7%	89.1%	NA	30
Low birth-weight babies	7.8%	5.6%	7.1%	7.3%	5.3%	6.9%	NA	58
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	5.6	1.9	2.0	3.7	6.6	2.4	NA	48
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	21%	18%	29%	26%	29%	35%	NA	40
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	1.2	4.5	1.7	1.7	2.7	2.6	NA	20
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	25.3	0.0	24.8	0.0	0.0	49.8	NA	110

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	83%	81%	81%	81%	NA	84%	NA	58
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	65%	57%	67%	66%	56%	58%	NA	98
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	4%	5%	4%	4%	4%	NA	43
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.81	1.80	1.03	0.3	NA	18
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	20.1	28.5	16.8	22.9	20.8	16.7	NA	22
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.8	2.4	1.5	1.1	NA	20
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.1	1.1	2.4	2.9	NA	93
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	53.1	52.5	0.0	51.3	128.3	51.3	NA	40
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	5,204.6	6,158.6	7,108.0	6,312.5	NA	70
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	1	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	51.9	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	51.0	NA	90
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	25	25	26	22	24	31	36	42
Children whose parents divorced	1.4%	1.5%	1.3%	1.3%	1.8%	NA	NA	111
Births out of wedlock	19.3%	21.0%	17.9%	19.1%	17.5%	19.6%	NA	19
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	7.20%	8.10%	6.70%	6.90%	7.30%	7.8%	NA	107
Average per capita income	$15,340	$16,086	$16,503	$17,232	$18,298	NA	NA	78
Fiscal stress level	NA	165.20	165.23	164.86	164.11	NA	NA	60
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	26%	28%	30%	31%	33%	35%	NA	70
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	31.1	30.0	32.2	32.8	34.8	30.7	28.8	38
Average daily school membership	7,515	7,451	7,419	7,378	7,454	7,520	NA	98
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	76.4	71.7	69.3	71.0	72.4	72.5	NA	51
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	594	792	837	48

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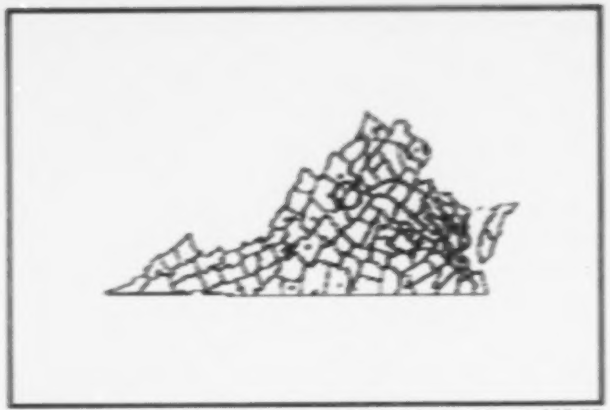

Square miles: 14.05 Population per square mile: 1,336.29

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	281	1.50%	142	139	216	54	4	1	6
1 - 4 Years	990	5.27%	507	483	838	136	3	2	11
5 - 11 Years	1,656	8.82%	824	832	1,403	232	4	2	15
12 - 14 Years	664	3.54%	348	316	558	96	3	2	5
15 - 17 Years	719	3.83%	422	297	606	96	3	8	6
18 - 44 Years	6,852	36.51%	3,365	3,487	6,003	758	13	21	57
45 - 64 Years	4,293	22.87%	1,976	2,317	3,915	340	6	7	25
Over 65 Years	3,314	17.66%	1,291	2,023	3,125	175	0	2	12
Total	18,769	100.00%	8,875	9,894	16,664	1,887	36	45	137
Percent			47.29%	52.71%	88.78%	10.05%	0.19%	0.24%	0.73%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	81.6%	88.0%	83.4%	86.6%	82.8%	89.0%	NA	32
Low birth-weight babies	4.6%	8.4%	6.9%	5.5%	11.1%	5.3%	NA	16
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	3.3	0.0	15.4	7.9	4.1	17.6	NA	123
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	20%	20%	34%	35%	49%	35%	NA	40
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	10.1	12.5	11.9	6.0	13.2	20.0	NA	133
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	60.4	151.1	0.0	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	88%	84%	90%	83%	78%	80%	NA	80
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	69%	71%	80%	78%	74%	67%	NA	65
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	3%	3%	2%	4%	5%	5%	NA	81
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	13.22	18.08	13.74	16.6	NA	111
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	37.2	47.3	41.1	47.1	60.6	23.6	NA	48
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.4	2.2	4.2	3.3	NA	81
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.8	1.4	2.4	5.0	NA	125
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	147.2	146.5	440.5	723.1	289.2	72.3	NA	47
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	11,820.9	10,122.9	7,013.7	13,593.6	NA	109
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	1	0	0	0	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	54	41	33	33	25	41	42	39
Children whose parents divorced	1.7%	1.6%	2.3%	2.0%	1.4%	NA	NA	64
Births out of wedlock	32.5%	36.0%	38.2%	35.2%	45.1%	40.1%	NA	103
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	7.70%	8.80%	6.90%	5.50%	5.00%	4.4%	NA	59
Average per capita income	$17,090	$17,697	$18,189	$18,917	$19,910	NA	NA	51
Fiscal stress level	NA	172.51	171.99	173.33	173.73	NA	NA	109
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	22%	25%	27%	29%	35%	34%	NA	66
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	84.5	98.5	104.3	117.4	113.7	99.5	83.1	103
Average daily school membership	2,699	2,791	2,800	2,777	2,861	2,989	NA	59
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	70.7	70.8	71.6	72.9	70.9	74.5	NA	69
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	558	575	712	54

WESTMORELAND

Square miles: 229.20 Population per square mile: 70.93

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	212	1.30%	109	103	113	94	0	0	5
1 - 4 Years	877	5.39%	461	416	497	367	3	3	7
5 - 11 Years	1,474	9.07%	764	710	792	665	0	9	8
12 - 14 Years	637	3.92%	315	322	324	309	0	3	1
15 - 17 Years	592	3.64%	324	268	292	291	1	5	3
18 - 44 Years	5,464	33.61%	2,638	2,826	3,261	2,128	15	29	31
45 - 64 Years	3,840	23.62%	1,835	2,005	2,714	1,090	8	14	14
Over 65 Years	3,161	19.44%	1,380	1,781	2,473	660	3	5	20
Total	16,257	99.99%	7,826	8,431	10,466	5,604	30	68	89
Percent			48.14%	51.86%	64.38%	34.47%	0.18%	0.42%	0.55%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	70.4%	70.6%	82.6%	75.7%	76.7%	75.2%	NA	121
Low birth-weight babies	9.9%	7.7%	8.3%	7.9%	9.7%	14.5%	NA	135
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	20.6	13.6	16.5	9.9	5.7	30.3	NA	133
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	51%	33%	29%	33%	45%	45%	NA	8
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	0.0	0.3	8.5	12.7	5.8	10.0	NA	104
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	34.0	33.4	33.7	33.5	66.9	33.5	NA	95

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	81%	73%	73%	72%	71%	89%	NA	31
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	54%	57%	65%	56%	51%	56%	NA	105
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	6%	5%	7%	4%	2%	3%	NA	23
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	20.03	34.99	19.53	16.3	NA	110
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	66.9	34.6	69.2	44.8	56.0	59.7	NA	124
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	2.7	1.1	1.9	1.1	NA	24
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.4	5.0	6.8	1.1	NA	37
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	515.5	83.5	417.4	325.5	244.1	976.4	NA	128
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	11,352.3	11,798.2	8,869.0	12,042.3	NA	104
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	1	1	0	1	3	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	173.9	0.0	168.9	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	5	3	12	9	6	11	11	90
Children whose parents divorced	1.5%	1.1%	2.2%	1.1%	1.3%	NA	NA	53
Births out of wedlock	41.6%	48.0%	48.3%	50.0%	36.9%	56.4	NA	130
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	10.20%	12.50%	11.00%	9.70%	9.10%	9.70%	NA	124
Average per capita income	$14,843	$15,514	$15,890	$16,941	$17,543	NA	NA	93
Fiscal stress level	NA	165.89	164.73	165.06	164.72	NA	NA	64
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	41%	45%	50%	49%	55%	51%	NA	114
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	104.4	108.7	117.1	119.5	110.5	93.1	58.3	83
Average daily school membership	2,454	2,534	2,553	2,611	2,651	2,725	NA	49
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	66.4	61.6	75.7	66.1	68.2	69.0	NA	29
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	349	331	374	75

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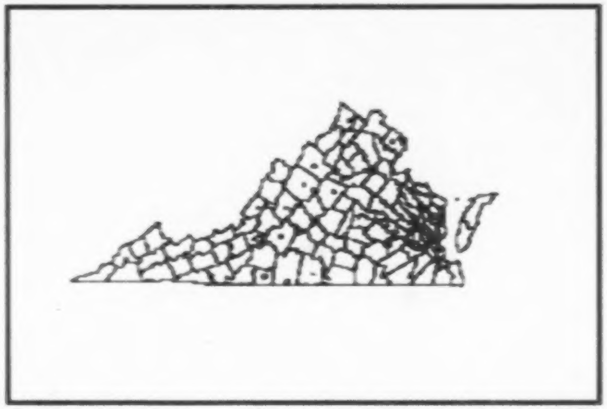

Data are combined for Williamsburg City and James City County for: middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests, 4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile, 6th graders passing all three Literacy Passport Tests, 9th - 12th graders who dropped out of school, incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school, incidents of students possessing weapons in school, students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program, average daily school membership, and instructional personnel rate.

Square miles: 8.61 Population per square mile: 1,413.89

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	80	0.66%	38	42	44	30	0	6	0
1 - 4 Years	286	2.35%	143	143	168	109	0	7	2
5 - 11 Years	453	3.72%	225	228	240	196	2	8	7
12 - 14 Years	210	1.73%	107	103	120	86	1	2	1
15 - 17 Years	223	1.83%	115	108	151	59	1	8	4
18 - 44 Years	7,926	65.12%	3,776	4,150	6,404	1,061	18	344	99
45 - 64 Years	1,485	12.20%	708	777	1,184	267	5	12	17
Over 65 Years	1,509	12.40%	570	939	1,256	233	0	10	10
Total	12,172	100.01%	5,682	6,490	9,567	2,041	27	397	140
Percent			46.68%	53.32%	78.60%	16.77%	0.22%	3.26%	1.15%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	75.6%	80.2%	80.4%	78.5%	75.7%	81.1%	NA	94
Low birth-weight babies	8.9%	16.2%	13.5%	11.6%	4.5%	10.7%	NA	122
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	0.0	9.0	20.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	20%	19%	22%	28%	29%	33%	NA	50
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	6.1	8.3	6.5	11.2	5.6	16.8	NA	130
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	106.3	105.4	0.0	105.4	NA	129

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	84%	84%	83%	86%	85%	88%	NA	36
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	73%	69%	67%	65%	63%	70%	NA	50
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	3%	4%	1%	4%	3%	NA	24
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	23.70	53.12	92.38	67.0	NA	135
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	70.7	86.5	66.7	64.8	46.3	37.0	NA	89
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.9	1.8	2.2	3.0	NA	72
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	4.2	4.6	2.5	4.9	NA	122
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	1,956.0	0.0	2,078.5	1,847.6	692.8	NA	119
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	18,957.3	18,937.6	19,630.5	19,861.4	NA	122
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	0	1	1	0	0	NA	1
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	4	0	1	2	3	7	6	104
Children whose parents divorced	4.5%	3.7%	3.9%	2.4%	3.9%	NA	NA	135
Births out of wedlock	28.3%	35.1%	33.8%	38.0%	27.9%	31.1%	NA	75
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	9.80%	13.20%	10.50%	10.20%	7.90%	7.6%	NA	106
Average per capita income	$20,958	$21,931	$22,914	$23,561	$24,835	NA	NA	17
Fiscal stress level	NA	171.97	173.27	173.20	172.68	NA	NA	105
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	19%	24%	24%	26%	21%	27%	NA	43
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	85.6	83.9	104.2	119.0	83.9	63.1	47.1	67
Average daily school membership	6,154	6,303	6,397	6,678	6,765	7,291	NA	96
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	69.5	74.3	73.0	74.4	76.4	74.2	NA	67
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	1,308	1,474	1,486	33

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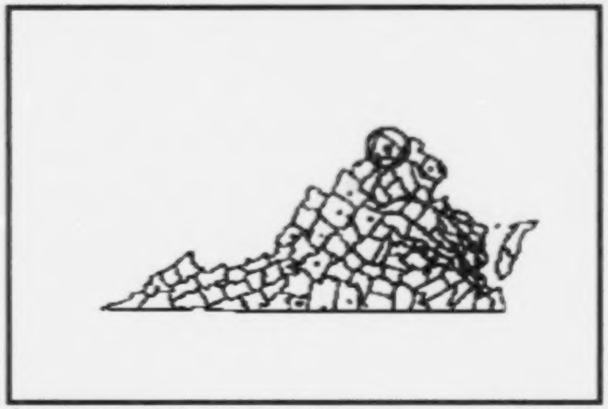

Square miles: 9.33 Population per square mile: 2,518.85

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	359	1.53%	174	185	298	45	0	6	10
1 - 4 Years	1,287	5.48%	652	635	1,096	159	1	8	23
5 - 11 Years	1,921	8.17%	1,009	912	1,584	302	0	22	13
12 - 14 Years	776	3.30%	391	385	624	131	0	14	7
15 - 17 Years	745	3.17%	360	385	609	111	2	12	11
18 - 44 Years	9,930	42.24%	5,068	4,862	8,498	1,169	16	121	126
45 - 64 Years	4,695	19.97%	2,214	2,481	4,220	415	5	30	25
Over 65 Years	3,793	16.14%	1,370	2,423	3,555	214	3	10	11
Total	23,506	100.00%	11,238	12,268	20,484	2,546	27	223	226
Percent			47.81%	52.19%	87.14%	10.83%	0.11%	0.95%	0.96%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	77.0%	80.2%	86.1%	82.6%	85.2%	90.1%	NA	25
Low birth-weight babies	8.6%	5.8%	5.6%	8.5%	4.3%	9.2%	NA	106
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	13.4	18.2	5.9	8.8	9.8	16.5	NA	120
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	42%	22%	33%	33%	33%	30%	NA	63
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	10.0	9.3	7.8	6.3	7.5	5.7	NA	67
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	0.0	51.4	25.5	125.5	50.2	100.4	NA	127

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	88%	90%	92%	90%	88%	87%	NA	41
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	75%	75%	66%	71%	62%	78%	NA	16
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	7%	8%	7%	7%	6%	9%	NA	130
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	22.42	32.87	28.27	23.0	NA	124
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	44.0	35.2	43.1	59.7	23.4	26.0	NA	56
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.6	2.6	4.4	4.9	NA	112
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.9	3.5	1.6	4.3	NA	116
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	561.8	756.5	747.3	591.7	1,709.4	1,249.2	NA	132
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	8,016.3	8,678.5	12,689.0	15,253.1	NA	114
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	2	0	0	2	1	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	283.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	75	90	105	86	79	74	92	22
Children whose parents divorced	1.8%	1.6%	2.0%	2.6%	3.4%	NA	NA	133
Births out of wedlock	36.6%	34.3%	37.9%	43.5%	43.0%	36.6%	NA	90
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	9.40%	9.90%	5.90%	5.30%	4.70%	4.3%	NA	58
Average per capita income	$17,515	$18,162	$18,812	$19,669	$20,960	NA	NA	40
Fiscal stress level	NA	168.42	167.71	168.09	167.98	NA	NA	86
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	22%	28%	35%	35%	35%	36%	NA	77
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	50.7	61.0	59.6	57.6	63.7	55.0	38.7	54
Average daily school membership	3,019	3,055	3,093	3,116	3,194	3,239	NA	64
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	79.0	80.5	77.7	77.7	78.7	78.4	NA	95
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	1,720	1,646	1,872	27

WISE

Square miles: 403.37   Population per square mile: 99.12

Data are combined for Wise County and Norton City for children whose parents divorced.

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	473	1.18%	237	236	458	11	0	1	3
1 - 4 Years	1,944	4.86%	1,010	934	1,902	29	3	5	5
5 - 11 Years	4,098	10.25%	2,111	1,987	3,992	82	4	15	5
12 - 14 Years	2,023	5.06%	1,013	1,010	1,961	43	1	14	4
15 - 17 Years	1,996	4.99%	1,054	942	1,908	70	1	11	6
18 - 44 Years	15,457	38.66%	7,593	7,864	15,037	307	21	44	48
45 - 64 Years	8,460	21.16%	4,084	4,376	8,289	100	10	37	24
Over 65 Years	5,531	13.83%	2,187	3,344	5,418	101	3	5	4
Total	39,982	99.99%	19,289	20,693	38,965	743	43	132	99
Percent			48.24%	51.76%	97.46%	1.86%	0.11%	0.33%	0.25%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	75.0%	74.3%	77.5%	84.2%	85.9%	79.1%	NA	104
Low birth-weight babies	7.2%	4.4%	6.9%	6.8%	7.9%	8.5%	NA	95
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	11.0	10.6	3.9	3.9	5.9	2.1	NA	46
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	27%	30%	34%	38%	38%	39%	NA	24
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	11.3	12.1	9.3	9.3	9.8	12.7	NA	122
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	24.7	24.6	0.0	24.8	24.8	24.8	NA	77

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	82%	80%	80%	76%	75%	73%	NA	118
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	62%	64%	71%	67%	68%	67%	NA	65
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	5%	5%	4%	4%	5%	5%	NA	81
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.75	1.49	3.48	0.0	NA	1
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	47.6	45.6	45.0	35.0	36.1	25.5	NA	52
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	6.8	4.8	3.7	6.9	NA	129
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.8	0.5	0.5	0.3	NA	13
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	25.2	50.2	50.3	24.9	99.5	74.6	NA	48
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	4,851.7	4,852.0	5,374.5	5,673.1	NA	60
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	1	0	2	1	0	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	100.2	50.2	152.1	50.1	0.0	50.1	NA	89
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	87	81	81	88	105	111	107	17
Children whose parents divorced	1.5%	1.7%	2.3%	2.2%	2.7%	NA	NA	130
Births out of wedlock	25.3%	27.5%	26.4%	27.7%	30.6%	30.0	NA	73
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	13.40%	15.80%	12.80%	12.70%	17.00%	15.9%	NA	135
Average per capita income	$15,082	$16,101	$16,810	$17,376	$16,863	NA	NA	103
Fiscal stress level	NA	170.13	170.08	170.54	170.46	NA	NA	95
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	34%	35%	36%	36%	37%	39%	NA	87
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	142.2	146.6	146.8	143.7	145.9	135.4	128.0	127
Average daily school membership	8,604	8,422	8,351	8,129	8,051	7,817	NA	99
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	64.9	64.9	64.2	64.4	66.1	68.0	NA	21
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	303	315	295	85

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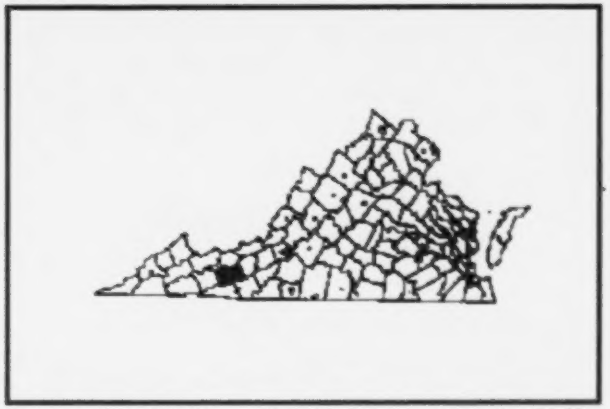

Square miles: 463.26 Population per square mile: 56.68

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	288	1.10%	136	152	273	14	0	1	0
1 - 4 Years	1,247	4.75%	641	606	1,193	51	1	0	2
5 - 11 Years	2,336	8.90%	1,186	1,150	2,219	104	2	6	5
12 - 14 Years	1,100	4.19%	540	560	1,054	36	2	6	2
15 - 17 Years	1,088	4.14%	569	519	1,018	50	2	11	7
18 - 44 Years	9,874	37.60%	4,809	5,065	9,417	390	19	32	16
45 - 64 Years	6,052	23.05%	2,906	3,146	5,847	166	5	18	16
Over 65 Years	4,273	16.27%	1,664	2,609	4,131	133	6	2	1
Total	26,258	100.00%	12,451	13,807	25,152	944	37	76	49
Percent			47.42%	52.58%	95.79%	3.60%	0.14%	0.29%	0.19%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	81.8%	86.9%	83.8%	82.0%	88.9%	86.0%	NA	58
Low birth-weight babies	6.9%	5.5%	9.5%	6.9%	5.2%	8.0%	NA	83
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	14.9	17.2	0.0	6.0	0.0	10.0	NA	94
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	15%	13%	11%	15%	23%	19%	NA	123
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	9.7	15.8	21.5	13.2	12.7	11.2	NA	113
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	21.6	64.7	64.6	0.0	21.4	0.0	NA	1

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	83%	86%	85%	79%	79%	81%	NA	77
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	66%	60%	64%	67%	62%	66%	NA	68
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	4%	4%	3%	6%	5%	3%	NA	24
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	6.09	5.03	1.83	0.5	NA	20
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	27.4	37.3	31.6	42.4	36.6	21.2	NA	40
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	3.7	3.5	3.2	4.6	NA	108
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.8	2.5	1.6	3.9	NA	111
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	188.8	47.0	93.8	137.1	0.0	45.7	NA	36
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	4,031.9	8,089.6	4,616.1	4,661.8	NA	44
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	1	1	1	0	1	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	189.0	0.0	91.9	183.8	NA	122
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	20	24	24	20	28	29	28	53
Children whose parents divorced	1.4%	1.7%	1.5%	1.2%	1.6%	NA	NA	89
Births out of wedlock	24.5%	21.0%	25.7%	28.8%	27.0%	26.2%	NA	54
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	9.70%	10.50%	8.20%	6.30%	6.50%	8.8%	NA	116
Average per capita income	$13,987	$14,636	$15,151	$15,926	$17,562	NA	NA	91
Fiscal stress level	NA	168.69	167.69	167.88	168.11	NA	NA	87
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	28%	29%	32%	32%	32%	31%	NA	54
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	57.5	63.5	59.2	61.1	65.5	62.1	54.1	78
Average daily school membership	4,341	4,346	4,342	4,338	4,382	4,329	NA	76
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	73.0	69.9	72.7	73.6	73.0	75.1	NA	73
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	275	295	423	69

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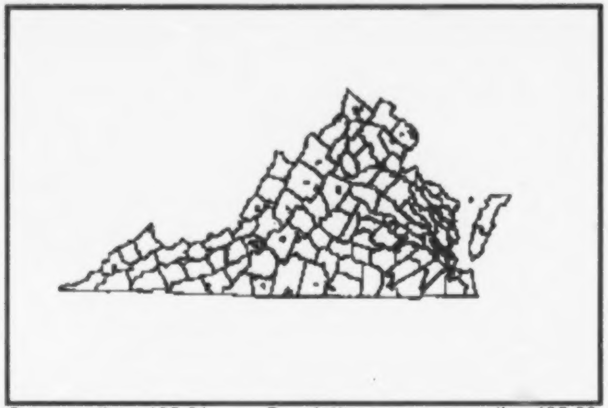

Data are combined for York County and Poquoson City for: founded cases of child abuse or neglect, foster care out-of-home placements, children whose parents divorced, and children receiving TANF.

Square miles: 105.61 Population per square mile: 495.28

1994 POPULATION ESTIMATES

AGE GROUP	TOTAL	PERCENT	MALE	FEMALE	WHITE	BLACK	NATIVE AMERICAN	ASIAN	HISPANIC
Under 1 Year	652	1.25%	351	301	481	134	0	27	10
1 - 4 Years	2,991	5.72%	1,528	1,463	2,176	612	5	127	71
5 - 11 Years	6,242	11.93%	3,152	3,090	4,626	1,223	11	217	165
12 - 14 Years	2,857	5.46%	1,456	1,401	2,214	499	8	92	44
15 - 17 Years	2,485	4.75%	1,246	1,239	1,922	444	9	71	39
18 - 44 Years	21,569	41.24%	10,771	10,798	16,808	3,628	73	642	418
45 - 64 Years	11,501	21.99%	5,761	5,740	9,669	1,523	26	206	77
Over 65 Years	4,009	7.66%	1,725	2284	3,270	678	3	43	15
Total	52,306	100.00%	25,990	26,316	41,166	8,741	135	1,425	839
Percent			49.69%	50.31%	78.70%	16.71%	0.26%	2.72%	1.60%

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
HEALTHY BIRTHS								
Prenatal care beginning in the first trimester	82.1%	88.5%	88.3%	88.3%	89.1%	89.8%	NA	26
Low birth-weight babies	7.9%	7.0%	5.9%	5.3%	6.7%	6.6%	NA	46
Infant mortality rate (per 1,000 live births)	2.3	3.9	6.9	1.8	16.4	3.8	NA	58
CHILDREN'S HEALTH								
Middle schoolers passing all four Spring physical fitness tests	17%	24%	32%	28%	24%	25%	NA	93
Founded cases of child abuse or neglect (per 1,000 children)	3.8	3.0	4.1	6.2	5.3	7.2	NA	83
Child death rate, ages 1-14 (per 100,000)	28.9	18.3	17.1	8.3	0.0	24.8	NA	78

	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	CURRENT RANK
SCHOOL SUCCESS								
4th graders whose composite standardized test scores were above the 25th percentile	89%	86%	91%	89%	93%	92%	NA	17
6th graders who passed all three Literacy Passport Tests	79%	73%	76%	75%	73%	78%	NA	16
9th through 12th graders who dropped out of school	2%	1%	2%	2%	2%	2%	NA	9
RISKY BEHAVIOR								
Sexually transmitted diseases, ages 12-17 (per 1,000)	NA	NA	0.98	0.94	0.75	0.7	NA	23
Births to teenage girls, ages 15-17 (per 1,000)	15.1	10.0	9.3	16.1	13.7	15.3	NA	18
Incidents of students possessing alcohol or drugs in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.4	2.0	2.0	1.0	NA	19
Incidents of students possessing weapons in school (per 1,000)	NA	NA	1.6	1.3	0.5	0.7	NA	24
Juveniles arrested for violent crime, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	111.2	358.7	196.4	205.9	56.2	187.2	NA	71
Intake cases involving delinquency, ages 12-17 (per 100,000)	NA	NA	4,046.4	5,728.2	4,623.7	5,204.0	NA	55
Motor vehicle deaths, ages 0 - 17	0	1	1	0	0	1	NA	80
Teen violent death rate, ages 15-17 (per 100,000)	0.0	0.0	42.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	NA	1
FAMILIES								
Foster care out-of-home placements	10	8	8	8	16	14	16	77
Children whose parents divorced	1.4%	1.6%	1.4%	1.5%	1.2%	NA	NA	45
Births out of wedlock	21.3%	20.2%	17.6%	18.0%	20.6%	21.4%	NA	27
COMMUNITY WELL-BEING								
Unemployment rate	3.80%	4.20%	3.70%	3.80%	3.00%	3.1%	NA	24
Average per capita income	$20,244	$20,839	20,848	$21,384	$23,418	NA	NA	21
Fiscal stress level	NA	156.57	155.61	157.24	158.57	NA	NA	31
Students approved for free or reduced-price school lunch program	14%	17%	16%	16%	15%	17%	NA	13
Children receiving TANF (was AFDC) (per 1,000)	20.3	22.5	22.1	22.4	21.7	18.8	16.9	15
Average daily school membership	9,368	9,766	10,347	10,538	10,688	10,746	NA	115
Instructional personnel rate (per 1,000 students)	63.6	61.3	66.0	66.9	65.0	65.8	NA	9
Child day care capacity	NA	NA	NA	NA	1,267	1,323	1,561	30

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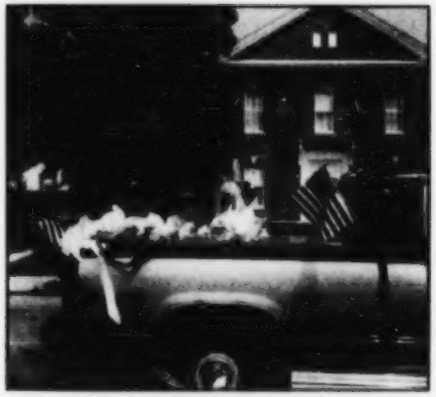

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A LOOK AT PREVENTION

This essay originally appeared in the 1996 KIDS COUNT in Virginia *data book. Because it was so well-received and covers such an important topic, we are repeating it with some updates.*

Risky Behavior

We know there are strong links between poor adjustment in childhood and negative outcomes in adulthood. Health professionals, educators, and the business community in Virginia have expressed alarm about increases in risky behavior. The National Commission on the Role of the School and Community on Improving Adolescent Health (1990) has documented the growing numbers of young people who are smoking, drinking, having sex, and committing violence at increasingly younger ages. Twenty-five percent of 10-17 year olds experiment with at least one of these high-risk behaviors. Even more alarming is that another two percent do several high-risk behaviors at the same time (Dryfoos, 1990). As a result, young people today face greater risks to their current and future development than previous generations.

Educators have expressed concerns about disruption in the classroom and its impact on those who want to learn. Many children come to school without proper nutrition and health care to help them concentrate on their studies. Children who are dealing with violence in their homes and neighborhoods may have concerns for their physical well-being that override their attention to school activities.

The business community is concerned with employee absenteeism or less than efficient workers who are distracted by dealing with problems involving their children. Children's illnesses, unstable day care arrangements, domestic violence, brushes with the juvenile justice system, etc., not only take away an employee's time and energy, they also influence a child's ability to learn, grow, and become a productive member of society. The long-term impact on the business community can be devastating.

Repairing vs. Preventing

Two approaches can be used to solve the dilemma of raising healthy, well-adjusted, productive citizens cost effectively. We can focus on treatment services to repair the damage done, or we can focus on preventing the damage in the first place. The data indicate that we do not have the resources to provide adequate treatment services to the young people presently in need. It is not likely that the resources will be available to treat them as adults.

- Epidemiological surveys show that only one in five youth who need services currently receives the help required.
- There is an enormous discrepancy between the available service providers and the number of children who need help (Tuma, 1989).
- Our service system relies almost exclusively on very expensive treatment, which in turn requires considerable expertise and sustained involvement for full-blown problems. Ironically, numerous outcome studies have found these treatment programs ineffective.
- Too many interventions focus only on the child and pay inadequate attention to the family, peer group, school, and community settings that help to create and perpetuate children's difficulties.

The alternative is to find ways of reaching kids earlier and preventing problems before they begin. Primary prevention strategies differ from traditional treatment approaches in three important ways. Typically, primary prevention strategies are:

- concerned with promoting health, building competencies, and establishing supportive systems as a protection against dysfunction;
- directed toward essentially healthy people who are not currently suffering from any current disability although they may be at increased risk for negative outcomes in the future; and
- systems and group oriented rather than targeted to individuals (Cowen, 1986).

Prevention also can maintain healthy behavior in youth who are healthy already. The 50% of our youth who do not engage in the risky behavior described previously also need our attention and resources. We can help to support them to avoid such involvement in the future.

Juvenile problems do not occur in a vacuum. The social, mental health, and physical problems of America's children and youth are caused, to a large extent, by changes that have occurred in families, schools, neighborhoods, and the media. Major social and environmental changes include:

- dramatic alterations in family composition and stability,
- the breakdown of traditional neighborhoods and extended families,
- reduced contact between young people and positive role models,
- the proliferation of media messages that positively portray health-damaging behavior, and
- increasing numbers of economically and educationally disadvantaged young people entering school (National Commission on Children, 1991).

The writing is on the wall. To achieve truly meaningful solutions, both the individual and the community must be transformed.

How Does Prevention Work?

Medical models have shown that serious disease may be reduced by identifying and modifying risk and protective factors. An example of such a model is reducing heart disease by eating less fat and exercising more. Similarly, researchers have compared the life trajectories of young people who succeeded despite adverse conditions to those who adopted unhealthy lifestyles, dropped out of school, or committed delinquent acts.

Risk factors are personal characteristics of peer group, family, or community conditions that increase the chances that children and youth will develop health and behavior problems. Risk factors exist in all areas of life and across racial and economic dimensions. In the past 30 years, researchers have learned a great deal about the risks for low birth weight, infant mortality, child abuse and neglect, school failure, delinquency, and violence. Risk factors are found at several different levels: the individual, the family, the peer group, the school, and the community. Individual risks include a family history of a problem, early substance use (such as cigarettes or alcohol), academic failure, and early anti-social behavior. Broader risk factors include associations with delinquent/drug-using peers, poor family management practices, low school or family attachment, living in a crime-ridden neighborhood, or the availability of drugs or alcohol in a community. Key risks that researchers have identified include: residence in a disadvantaged and disorganized neighborhood, poor and inconsistent family management practices, low expectations for achievement, poor peer relations, and onset of behavior at an early age (Dryfoos, 1990; Hawkins & Catalano, 1992). Whereas exposure to one risk factor does not seal a child's fate, exposure to several risk factors increases a young person's risk exponentially. If a community is not able to eliminate all risk factors, simply reducing or eliminating a few can decrease significantly the likelihood of problems in young people.

Addressing multiple risk factors. Addressing a single risk factor in a particiular area does not significantly reduce problem behavior. Instead, we have learned that communities need to reduce risk simultaneously across several areas, such as the individual, the peer group, the family, and the community. The multiple risk behaviors in whcih about 25% of young people "are doing it all" — including premature sexual behavior, drug use, violence, delinquency, and school dropout — are all interrelated and, more importantly, are the results of the same set of underlying causes (Jessor, Donovan & Costa, 1992). This means that advocating for early schooling and preventing school failure as high priorities reduces not only the dropout rate; they also may prevent substance abuse, teen pregnancy, and juvenile delinquency.

Protective factors are ones that shield youngers from problems. Mechanisms that reduce the likelihood of serious problems in the future include:

- a neighborhood with resources and supports,
- a cohesive family,
- ongoing contact with a caring adult,

- positive peer models,
- students bonded to school and family,
- good school performance, and
- adaptive coping skills (Cowen & Work, 1988).

Because some risk factors are very resistant and some are impossible to eradicate completely, increasing protective factors can counteract some exposure to risk. Communities can learn from an entire body of research on resiliency (Werner, 1987; Rutter, 1985; Garmezy, 1985). Many of these researchers began by asking why most children and adolescents do not develop major social/emotional problems though they have been exposed to such factors. What do these youngsters have in their favor? Research has shown that when protective factors balance risk factors, they moderate the negative effects of being exposed to multiple risks.

One implication of the interrelatedness of risk and protective factors is that community leaders who are interested in safeguarding our youth need to address as many of these common predictors as possible. We need to recognize that there is no magic bullet or simple solution that will prevent high-risk behavior among our young people (Dryfoos, 1990). Meaningful solutions will require: programs that are more comprehensive, a higher level of collaboration between both public and private sectors, and programs that are more integrated into the community.

Kids and Communities

Research over the past two decades has shown that a community focus in planning prevention programs is important. Prevention efforts that failed tended to focus too narrowly on a single problem. This taught us to create programs that are far reaching in scope and that implement long-lasting solutions.

A community focus represents a blend of what we know about risk and protective factors and designing effective interventions. Risk, as well as protective factors, permeates all aspects of the community: individual, families, schools, and neighborhoods. Targeting the community can affect positively the local environment by reducing aggressive behavior in juveniles. Simultaneously, it supports positive norms and values that influence our children. Multiple risk factors influence virtually all serious problems, such as child abuse, school failure, or delinquency. Therefore, effective prevention must combine multiple interventions applied in a variety of settings. For example, a program designed to prevent sixth graders from smoking could be combined with a parental and convenience store effort that attempts to reduce cigarette access to minors. The combined effect may be much greater than would result from each separate effort.

We also have come to understand the power of communities. Parents look for ways to prevent individual teenagers from getting into trouble. Communities can build collective strengths and truly comprehensive programs that support, nourish, and nurture all young people. Instead of teaching individual children to resist negative peer pressure, we can create peer groups that promote and exert positive peer pressure.

Engaging the community is challenging, but the rewards are great. Having a wide spectrum of individuals, groups, businesses, and organizations at their disposal, communities can create a strong base of support for change. The firm support of community leaders and their involvement in prevention efforts can lead to long-term change. The commitment must include an investment of resources to prevention. These resources include not only public funding, but also private sector funding, leadership, and ability.

Ultimately, as communities take the initiative to create new solutions, their programs gradually become integrated into the routine services of local organizations and institutions. Children need community programs that provide appropriate information, skills, and motivation. They also need social systems and agents, such as parents, teachers, and peers, who consistently reinforce and support the development of positive personal, social, and health behavior.

Past attempts to prevent problems operated in isolation and had limited success. There is no longer any doubt that meaningful change occurs only when multiple community forces share a common vision about prevention and health promotion. It is only when leaders coordinate these broader community circumstances that prevention efforts produce positive lasting changes in young people.

Learning from Others

Recently, two major investigations were conducted (Durlak & Wells, 1997; Tobler & Stratton, 1997) reviewing more than 300 prevention research studies. The results provide strong affirmation to the question, "Does prevention work?" and, as importantly, offer guidance in selecting truly useful interventions. Moreover, several prestigious research institutes independently evaluated nationwide interventions and arrived at a remarkable consensus about the efficacy of primary prevention programs. These evaluations offer a rich base of knowledge from which Virginia's communities can design community-based prevention initiatives.

Lessons Learned

Prevention programs have produced positive behavioral effects that cut across many important areas. These include family support programs, early childhood education, school-based life skills programs, and interventions specifically designed to prevent adolescent pregnancy, school failure, substance abuse, and juvenile delinquency. Following are some important lessons that have been learned from successful programs.

- **Early identification and intervention is necessary.** Successful programs begin intervention early, that is, before the onset or problematic or high-risk behavior.
- **Continuity of efforts must be maintained.** "One-shot interventions" do not have lasting effects. Sustained interventions are required to ensure that positive changes are maintained.
- **High-risk behaviors are interrelated.** Teens at risk for school failure are also at increased risk for substance abuse, teen pregnancy, and violence. Successful prevention programs adopt broad and more holistic goals rather than focus on individual problems.
- **Efforts must target multiple risk and protective factors.** Successful programs target the individual, the family, the peer group, the school, and the community.
- **There is no single component or "magic bullet."** No single effort alters outcomes for children at risk of delinquency, substance abuse, teen pregnancy, school failure, or violent behavior.
- **Community-wide, multi-agency, collaborative approaches hold the most promise.** Comprehensive programs must offer a "package" of services that only can come about when multiple agencies and organizations collaborate.
- **Efforts should promote competence.** Rather than focus on defects, successful programs promote health, build competencies, and establish supportive systems.
- **Efforts should be guided by scientific theory.** The most successful prevention programs are guided by a scientific understanding of the complex interrelation of factors associated with each target area.

How Can You Support Positive Growth in Your Community?

The guide that follows provides one strategy for supporting the positive development of children and youth at the community level.

1. Gather and involve key leaders in the community to establish a Community Prevention Board to oversee a prevention planning effort.
2. Create a broad-based community task force to assess community risks and resources. KIDS COUNT can be a primary data source.
3. Identify risk and protective factors that are salient to your community. Begin to develop a plan of action to match promising prevention strategies to areas of concern. Programs and activities selected should derive from a research-based understanding of the problem and rely on interventions with an empirically validated track record. The goal is to develop a prevention effort seen as a long-term solution, rather than a quick-fix approach to serious problems.
4. Develop a plan that is compatible with resources, groups, and programs already operating in your community. Use comprehensive, integrated, and collaborative strategies to address the social and environmental, as well as the family and individual, factors that put children and families at risk.

5. Develop a plan that not only monitors the initial implementation of the plan, but also attempts to build in ownership to sustain the long-term commitment necessary for its ultimate success.
6. Develop evaluation criteria so that the Board can collectively monitor progress, make judgments about the success of the program, and plan mid-course corrections, as required.

These steps are presented as a very general blueprint. They do not begin to describe the very complex and detailed processes involved in each step. Leaders who are interested in learning more about successful community development processes should obtain a copy of the book by David Hawkins and Richard Catalano, *Communities That Care* (Jossey-Bass, 1992). Another recent article, "Empowering Communities to Prevent Adolescent Substance Abuse" (Harachi, R., Ayer, C., Hawkins, D., Catalano, R., & Cushing, J., 1996), describes successful efforts in mobilizing 35 communities to conduct community risk factor and protective resource assessments, develop comprehensive prevention plans, and implement their plans. After four years, 31 communities are still active.

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DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

Number of Children in Virginia, 1995 - 2005

	1995	2005	% Change
All children under age 18	1,612,500	1,728,400	7%
Preschool age 0 - 5 years old	559,500	534,800	-4%
Elementary school age 6 - 11 years old	535,100	572,700	7%
Middle school age 12 -14 years old	261,500	304,600	16%
High school age 15-17 years old	256,400	316,400	23%

Race/Ethnicity of Children in Virginia, 1995 - 2005

	1995	2005	% Change
White	1,114,900	1,117,700	0%
Black	375,400	429,100	14%
Hispanic	63,400	95,900	51%
Asian & Pacific Islander	55,600	82,300	48%
Native American	3,200	3,300	3%

HEALTH AND ECONOMIC CHARACTERISTICS

	VIRGINIA	NATIONAL
Percent of 2-year-olds who were immunized in 1995	79%	75%
Median income of families with children in 1994	$40,300	$37,000
Percent of children in extreme poverty (income below 50% of poverty level) in 1994	6%	9%

	VIRGINIA	NATIONAL
Percent of children without health insurance in 1994	12%	13%
Percent of mother-headed families receiving child support or alimony in 1994	40%	33%
Percent of poor families with children receiving means-tested assistance in 1994	77%	86%

EDUCATION INDICATORS

	VIRGINIA	NATIONAL
Percent of 3- to 5-year-olds who were not enrolled in nursery school or kindergarten in 1993	42%	40%
Percent of 4th-grade students who scored below basic mathematics level in 1996	38%	38%
Percent of 4th-grade students who scored below basic reading level in 1994	43%	41%

	VIRGINIA	NATIONAL
Percent of children living in a neighborhood where more than 1/4 of 16- to 19-year-olds were high school dropouts in 1990	6.4%	9.8%
Percent of children living with parents who were high school dropouts in 1994	11%	15%

HOW VIRGINIA COMPARES WITH THE REST OF THE NATION ON SOME INDICATORS OF CHILD WELL-BEING

	1985		1994		NATIONAL RANK
	VIRGINIA	NATIONAL	VIRGINIA	NATIONAL	(based on 1994 figures)
Percent low birth-weight babies	7.0	6.8	7.5	7.3	29
Infant mortality rate (deaths per 1,000 live births)	11.5	10.6	8.3	7.3	34
Child death rate (deaths per 100,000 children, ages 1-14)	30	34	27	29	20
Rate of teen deaths by accident, homicide, and suicide (deaths per 100,000 teens, ages 15-19)	53	63	63	69	20
Teen birth rate (births per 1,000 females, ages 15-17)	28	31	31	38	22
Juvenile violent crime arrest rate (arrests per 100,000 youths, ages 10-17)	150	305	264	517	13
Percent of teens who are high school dropouts (ages 16-19)	12	11	9	9	29
Percent of teens not attending school and not working (ages 16-19)	10	11	8	9	18
Percent of children in poverty	15	21	13	21	4
Percent of familes with children headed by a single parent	20	22	23	26	12

In the 1997 national data book, Virginia's overall national composite rank is 22.

On an average day in Virginia . . .

260 children are born

- 46 did not receive early prenatal care
- 19 weigh less than 5.5 pounds

2 children die before their first birthday

27 children are found to be abused or neglected

1 child (age 1-14) dies

14 youths (ages 12-17) are diagnosed with a sexually transmitted disease

11 girls (ages 15-17) have babies

5 youths (ages 12-17) are arrested for a violent crime

112 young people are processed for a delinquent offense

17 children are placed in foster care

339,986 children qualify for free or reduced-price school lunches

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